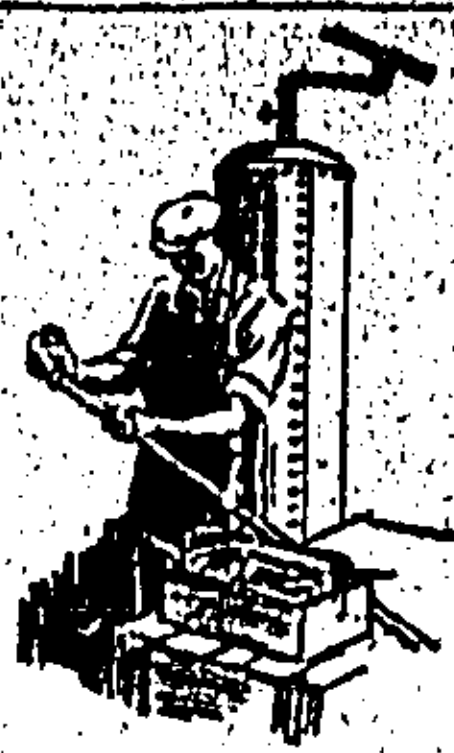


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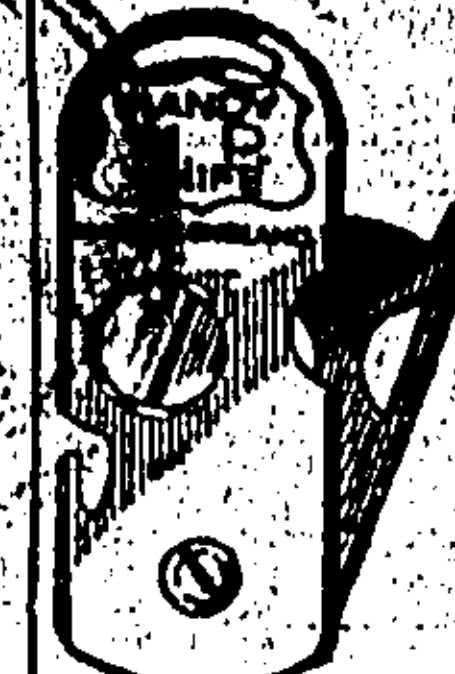
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MERCURY SOARS TO 101.5

HOTTEST JUNE DAY ON RECORD MANY CASES OF PROSTRATION

Shanghai, June 26.
Yesterday was the hottest
June day in Shanghai for
over sixty years. Beyond
that there is no record for
comparison.

The mercury soared to 101.5
degrees Fahrenheit in the shade,
which is the highest registry in
Shanghai since the foundation of
the Sincere Observatory in 1873.

The nearest high record in the
known past was 100.4° in June
1893.

The intense heat caused con-
siderable suffering. There were
many cases of prostration, although
no serious cases have come to
light.

Thousands of Chinese sought re-
lief in the streets and along the
bund up to a very late hour.

The Observatory is unable to
forecast any relief from the burn-
ing heat to-day.—*Reuter.*

WIDESPREAD SCORCHING.

Shanghai, June 26.
The whole of Central China is
experiencing a scorching heat-wave
with temperatures more than 100
degrees in the shade at nearly all
recording stations. The tempera-
ture in Shanghai was over 101
degrees, slightly higher than that
in Nanking. A number of cases
of prostration have been reported
in both cities.

Messages from Hankow, Chin-
kiang and Hangchow report similar
conditions, and conditions are
particularly severe at Hangchow,
where, with other places in Che-
kiang a long spell of drought has
added to the sufferings.

Failure of crops in Chekiang and
a large part of Shensi is feared as
rains have been exceptionally
scarce in these particular areas
since early this year.—*Central
News.*

EDWARDS MYSTERY UNSOLVED

Leave To Assume Death Granted

Shanghai, June 26.
The kidnapping of a British
lighthouse-keeper, Mr. Edwards,
from Breaker Point lighthouse, off
the Fukien coast, two years ago,
has been brought up in the British
Court for China.

The mystery of his fate has
never been solved, but it has long
been presumed that he was killed
by the bandits who kidnapped him,
his wife and four children in
February, 1932.

On a motion by Mrs. Edwards,
the Court granted leave to depose
that her husband's death occurred
on or after July 31, 1932, for the
purpose of settling the estate.—*Reuter.*

FOUR DROWNED IN RIVER MISHAP

Canton, June 26.
A motor launch, carrying many
passengers and sundry goods,
struck a rock on Sunday afternoon
in the Chungshan District, four
persons being drowned.

The motor launch was the Shun
Li, plying between Kongmoon and

PLANE DIVES INTO CROWD

Five Killed: Fifteen Injured

Belgrade, June 25.
Two men and three
women were killed to-day
when an aeroplane crashed
among spectators during a
flying display at Belgrade.
Fifteen others were injured.
—*Reuter.*

BOMB ATTACK ON GANDHI

THROWN INTO WRONG CAR

SEVEN INJURED

Poona, June 25.
A dastardly attempt was
to-day made by a gang of
political terrorists on the
life of the Mahatma Gandhi.

A bomb was thrown, exploding
with great violence, but Gandhi
was not in the car he was thought
to be occupying, and the attack
missed as far as he was concerned.

Seven of his closest supporters
were, however, injured by the bomb
which was thrown right into the
car.

SCOUT ERROR.

Gandhi owes his escape primarily
to a mistake by the leader of a
boy scout band, who, believing
that he was on board the car,
ordered the band to strike up the
opening chords of air of wel-
come. This was taken as the
signal for the throwing of the
bomb.

Gandhi arrived in another car
five minutes later.

Five arrests were made.—*Reuter.*

FIVE IN HOSPITAL.

An exclusive United Press
message says that the attack
occurred outside the Town Hall
when Gandhi was due to receive
an Address.

Five of the victims are in a
serious condition in hospital at
Poona.

Explosion In New Territories

TWO CHILDREN SEVERELY INJURED

An explosion of gunpowder at
Tai-O, in the Pingshan district,
New Territories, yesterday, re-
sulted in two young children,
the son and daughter of a fisher-
man, being severely injured.

They were playing with a light-
ed smoking water-pipe, which came
into contact with a store of gun-
powder, evidently used for fishing
purposes, and caused a violent ex-
plosion.

The two children, Fan Fook-tai,
aged 9, and Fan Cheong, aged 5,
were taken to the Kwloon Hospi-
tal, with injuries attested to be of
a serious character.

The Shuntak District. A big hole
appeared at the bottom of the
ship when the mishap occurred.
But for the efforts of her coxswain
who rushed her as far as possible
towards the shore, enabling pas-
sengers to get within swimming
distance, a more serious disaster
would have occurred.—*Central
News.*

CHANGE OF TUNE?

NEW GERMAN NOTE ON DEBT OBLIGATIONS

CONCILIATORY IN TONE

Berlin, June 25.
A fresh German Note to
Britain on the subject of
debts and obligations has
been handed to the British
Ambassador and will proba-
bly determine whether or not
a trade war will develop out
of the dispute.

Despite Dr. Schacht's recent
threat, the German Note, which
was despatched to London to-
night, and it is confidently ex-
pected that it will reveal a concilia-
tory tone, likely to leave the way
open for a compromise.

It is believed that the Note as-
serts that Germany's present
pillage is mainly due to the burden
of reparations, and argues that
political questions must not be
confused with financial problems.

GERMANY'S POSITION.

The Note also reiterates that
Germany desires to meet all her
obligations in full as and when
able to do so. Germany is very
ready to hear any new proposal
by her creditors in the matter of
facilitating payment.

Meanwhile, in London, the
House of Commons has passed the
Debts Clearing Office Bill
without a division.

Mr. L. Hore-Bellisha, Financial
Secretary to the Treasury, wind-
ing up the debate, said that the
powers under the Bill would be
used with moderation.

With deduction, he said, would
begin at twenty per cent, and as
Germany herself had stated that
she intended to continue to pay her
debts in marks, exporters' goods
ought to receive full payment.

BRITAIN'S LEVER.

If the Reichsbank did not pay
British exporters in full that
would be tantamount to a further
default on the part of Germany.

As long as Germany did not take
steps to restrict trade further by
artificial methods, there was no
reason why the system should not
work to the mutual convenience of
both sides.

If, on the other hand, Germany
took other steps, the Bill armed
the British Government with the
fullest powers.

TRADE DISLOCATION.

He did not, however, believe
that Germany would take steps
which would merely result in the
dislocation of her own commerce.
The Financial Secretary to the
Treasury stated that the United
Kingdom's holdings of the Dawes
and Young Loans amounted to
about £10,000,000 of Dawes and
£9,000,000 of Young bonds. The
annual service required £1,700,000.
—*Reuter.*

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH.

London, June 25.
The Chancellor of the Exche-
quer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in
the House of Commons to-day,
moved the second reading of the
Debts Clearing Office and Import
Restrictions Repeal Bill—a mea-
sure to deal with the situation
created by the decision of the
Reichsbank to suspend for six
months, as from July 14, all ex-
changes on German long and
medium term debts abroad, includ-
ing the Young and Dawes Loans.

Mr. Chamberlain expressed re-
gret that the Government found
themselves bound to introduce this
measure, and said there was no
doubt that the position of Germany
with regard to foreign exchange
necessitated the discharge of her
obligations was one of very great
difficulty.

GERMANY'S FOOD FAITH DOUBTED.

In the German Note to Great
Britain, a great deal of emphasis
was laid upon the reduction in



Accompanied by Japanese officials, Mr. Elmer Kuramoto, Japanese vice-consul, whose disappearance for five days in Nanking was responsible for one of the most extensive manhunt in the capital, is shown, immediately behind the uniformed Japanese police officer, descending the gang-plank at Hongkew Wharf in Shanghai.

AUSTRALIA FAILS AT A PINCH

VERITY REVELS IN CONDITIONS

HOT SUN ON WET WICKET.

London, June 25.
Typical English weather
played a leading part in the
Second Test match to-day
when England defeated
Australia by an innings and
38 runs.

The Australians, after six weeks
of batting on hard wickets similar
to their own had their first ex-
perience of a pitch made tricky
by a heavy week-end rain and to-
day's hot sun.

When the day opened, the score
stood England: 440; Australia, 192
for two wickets.

England's slow bowler, Verity,
found the conditions ideal for him
and he soon had the Australians
in trouble.

Their first innings closed for
284, when they required only six
runs to avoid the "Follow on."

Battling again, they were able to
counter the new problem and the
whole side was out for 118.

Verity, the prime instrument of
their down-fall, took 7 wickets for
61 runs in their first innings and
eight wickets for 43 in their second
innings. He captured fourteen
wickets to-day for 80 runs and
after the tea interval he took six
of these for 15.

Altogether his performance has
never or very rarely been equalled
in Test cricket.

England was undoubtedly for-
tunate in the weather and in
having probably the best bowler in
the world for such conditions.

To-day was the first occasion
England had beaten Australia at
Lord's since 1896. England and
Australia have now each won one
match.—*British Wireless.*

The Reichsbank reserve of gold and
foreign exchange, and it was said
that this reserve had been
sacrificed in an effort to maintain
payment of German obligations.

The fact was that a very great
part of this serious diminution in
reserve had been due to a device
adopted by the Reichsbank, which,
in its effect, was equivalent to
depreciation of German currency.

Rightly or wrongly, creditors
of all countries no longer felt the
confidence they had had in the
good faith of Germany.

In the British Note, it was made
clear that the door was still open
for further negotiation, and the
(Continued on Page 7.)

BRISTOL MID-AIR COLLISION

Three Flying Officers Killed

London, June 25.
Three R.A.F. flying
officers were killed to-day
in a mid-air collision near
Bristol.

A fourth man escaped by
leaping clear of the
wreckage. He was slightly
injured.

There have been ten fatal
R.A.F. accidents in 1934
with seventeen deaths, but
these figures are well below
the average.—*Reuter.*

World's Oldest Man Gravely Ill

ZARO AGHA NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

Istanbul, June 25.
The oldest man in the world,
the famous Turk of many wives,
Zaro Agha, is believed to be on
the point of death.

Zaro Agha claims to be more
than 160 years of age and he has
been seriously ill in hospital at
Istanbul for nearly two months.

Very slender hopes are now
held out for his recovery, who is
so gravely ill that his relatives
have been sent for.

His eighty-eight-year-old daugh-
ter and his eleventh wife, much
younger than his daughter, are
remaining at his bedside.

Only a few weeks ago, he re-
ceived a letter from a 63-year-old
American woman proposing mar-
riage. She was apparently not
aware that he had a wife still
alive.—*Reuter.*

MARCEL BUFFET SUED

DEFENCE ALLEGES MISCONDUCT

Frank Lewiston Adamson, former
manager of a jazz band at the
Gloucester Building, and later
manager of the Marcel Buffet, 70,
Nathan Road, commenced a claim
for damages for wrongful dismis-
sal against Nathan Blumenthal,
proprietor of the Buffet, at the
Supreme Court this morning.

Originally his claim was for
\$17,000 damages and costs, but at

SHANGHAI PILOTAGE

BRITAIN MAKES REPRESENTATIONS

NANKING PROMISE OF REVISION

London, June 25.
Changes proposed by the Nan-
king Government in pilotage ar-
rangements at Shanghai have led
to strong representations by the
British Government.

Sir John Simon, the Foreign
Minister, replying in the House
of Commons to-night, to a number
of questions relating to Shanghai
pilotage, said that owing to the
action of the Chinese Government
in drawing up provisional pilotage
regulations intended to supersede
those codified in 1868, Sir Alex-
ander Cadogan had made repre-
sentations to the Chinese Govern-
ment.

Sir Alexander had pointed out
that the matter was one which
also involved the interest of for-
eign Powers and that the new
provisional regulations were not
satisfactory.

Sir John Simon informed the
Commons that he understood the
British view to be shared by other
interested governments.

TO BE REVISED.

In reply to Britain's repre-
sentations, the Chinese Govern-
ment had indicated that a revised
version of the new regulations
would be communicated in due
course.

In view of this statement and
the fact that the question is still
the subject of discussion between
Sir Alexander Cadogan and the
Chinese Foreign Ministry, he was
unable at the present moment to
say more. He could, however,
assure the House that the British
Government was fully alive to the
interests of British shipping and
of any British pilots who might
be affected by changes in the re-
gulations.—*Reuter.*

the commencement of the hearing
his counsel stated that the claim
for general damages would be
withdrawn and plaintiff would
proceed with claims for special
damages amounting to \$7,492.

Defendant, in a long statement
of particulars, admits an agree-
ment to employ plaintiff and to
afford him and his wife free meals,
but seeks to justify his dismissal
under ten allegations of miscon-
duct on the part of defendant
while acting as manager. He
states that Adamson was drunk,
assaulted the servants, was
familiar with them, and failed to
account for monies as he should
have done.

There is also a counter-claim
for \$508.12 and another unassess-
ed amount.

The case is proceeding.

THE WORST EVER KNOWN

REASON FOR THE COMPLAINTS

NO SURPRISES IN RESULTS

London, June 26.
Wimbledon opened to-day,
in very unsettled weather,
and a blaze of controversy.

The competitors were almost un-
animous in complaint that the um-
piring was the worst they have
ever known.

The fact that the Umpires' Asso-
ciation forced the Wimbledon au-
thorities to use higher chairs than
usual, making them 5 feet, 6 inches,
in height, is generally attributed as
the cause of the trouble. This
belief is so strongly held that a
request has been forwarded for the
use of lower chairs for the remain-
der of the tournament.

Some of the players said that
they had been umpired out of vic-
tory, which is a very unusual ac-
cusation for Wimbledon, where the
players are usually very sports-
manlike in such matters. It seems
extremely unlikely that they would
say these things without a reason.

NO SENSATIONS.

Otherwise, the day's play lacked
sensations. It was devoted exclu-
sively to men's singles and although
De Stefan was given a very hard
fight and a scare by Landau, he was
the only seeded player to undergo
that experience.

The grimness of the Stefan-
Landau struggle may be estimated
from the fact that it went to 68
games in only four sets!

Perry gave away the third set of
his match to L. C. E. R. Tuckey,
the Army champion, but he took
the next set to love and settled the
match and any fears.

Hare went down to Christian
Boussus, and young McGrath had a
short life against Sydney Wood.

All the seeded players went into
the second round.—*Reuter and
Special Copyright Service.*
Exclusive detailed scores will be
found on Page Eight.

REBELS ACTIVE IN MANCHURIA

Shanghai, June 26.
Chinese reports from Manchuria
give brief details of the activities
of a powerful force of anti-Man-
chukuo irregulars, who are worry-
ing the Japanese.

A severe engagement is in pro-
gress at Poltakow, in East Kirin,
while Chutseki, after an attack
by the irregulars in overwhelming
numbers, has been taken by the
rebels.

The Japanese military are send-
ing heavy reinforcements to the
area from Tunkuh.—*Central News.*

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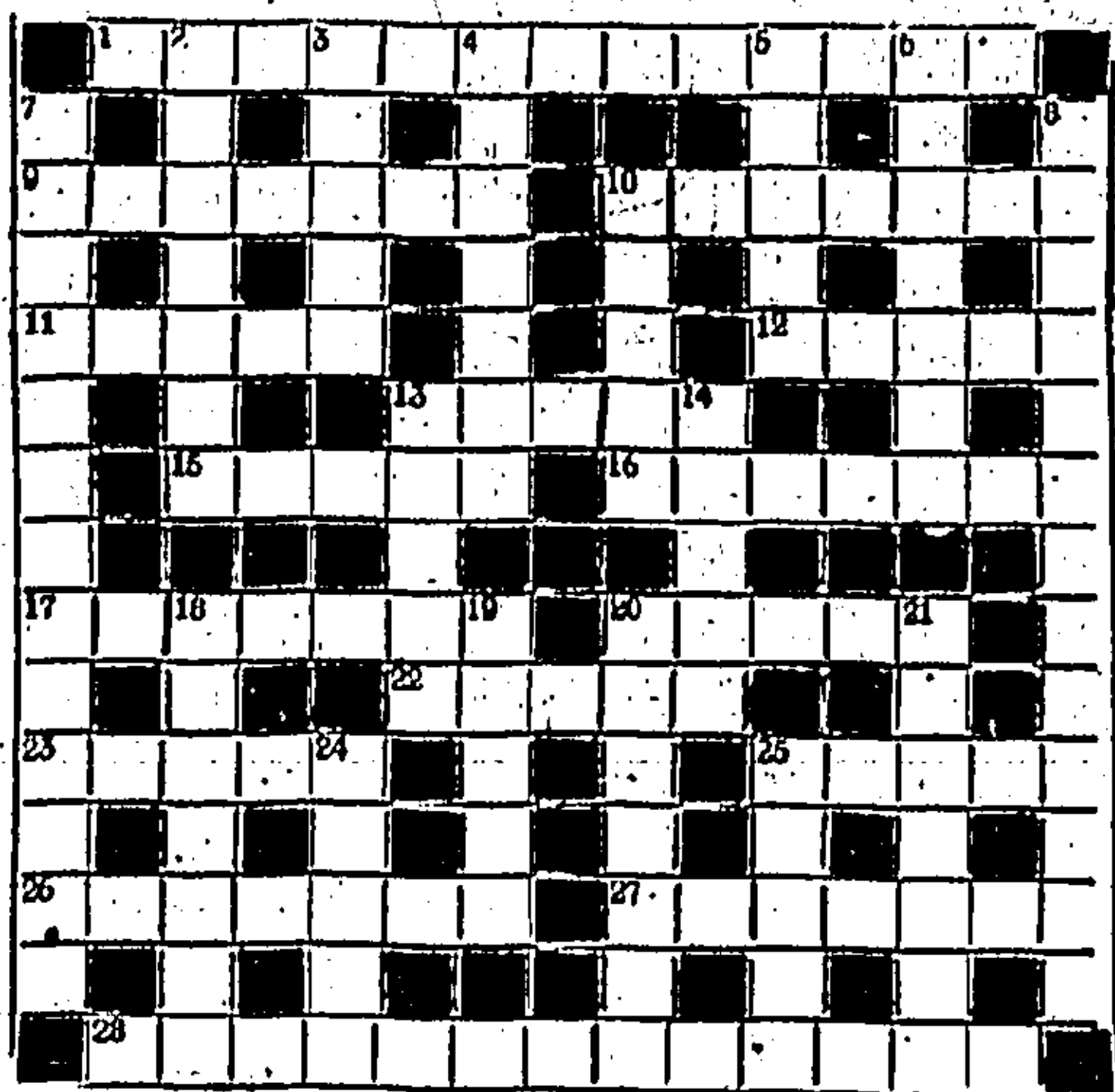
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- "New planes much" object to this insect (two-word anag.).
 - Silenced.
 - According to the umpire this this may be in or out.
 - Birds which raise a sneer.
 - Miss. With an extra letter another miss, perhaps.
 - Pretty nippy.
 - If I got mixed up with such an animal things would, indeed, look blue.
 - Chained (anag.).
 - Hang it! Why lay out the money when we're all inside?
 - Regular stampede led by the piper.
 - Not nice when "Comin' through the lye" (any farmer will confirm this.).
 - A regular jumble.
 - Aerial frolics.
 - Whether pointed or not, they are nearly useless.
 - Cry out, if you like, I'm sure to be found in the end.
 - Pounding.
- Down**
- Chanted.
 - Heads—you win.
 - Go below under.
 - Flinch.
 - "And certain stars shot madly from their spheres. To hear the music." ("Midsummer Night's Dream.")
 - Make an ornament from a shell, an eunnet and a bin.

Yesterday's Solution

1. H. A. T. A. I. S. S. E.
2. F. I. R. S. T. Y. E. R. B. A. M. A. T. E.
3. G. U. B. M. M. R. P. O.
4. A. M. P. E. R. E. Y. P. R. O. T. O. C. O. L.
5. A. S. R. E. E. O. S. K.
6. T. R. O. T. T. E. R. S. A. N. T. S.
7. C. L. O. S. U. R. E. P. E. G. A. S. U. S.
8. E. P. A. D. S. N. E. G. A. T. I. V. E.
9. S. M. I. T. O. S. I. E.
10. A. P. O. L. O. G. U. E. L. E. M. O. R. S.
11. O. I. N. R. E. D. O. I.
12. C. R. O. S. S. E. Y. E. D. A. N. E. N. T.
13. T. S. D. D. Y. S.



THE WORLD OF WOMEN



YOUR CHILDREN.

Love, Co-operation, Not Wiles

By Olive Roberts Barton

"Do it for mama, darling. If you don't, mama cry."

Johnny "does it" once, twice, three times. The next time he stands staunchly and curiously before her and demands, "Cwhy?"

She has to change her tactics. The cry gag is no longer useful.

If she is one kind of a mother she forgets it entirely, but if she is of the type that finds the "wistful" method to her taste she is going to hang on to her weapon and use it through life.

So far she has found it rather effectual with others. Her father succumbed to wheedling and her husband to tears. She has found the world patient and sympathetic when she resorted to "It's only poor me, but please do it for my sake."

Fortunately we don't hear it so much any more. Probably every mother tries it once or twice but when a child calls her bluff once, she's through. She laughs and throws the whole business out of the window when Johnny says, "Peek-a-boo, I know you."

But her sister—the one who simply tucks the mask in her pocket and doctors it up for future use. How about her?

Change of Tactics

No, she won't paint tears on it; she may even change it to look like the one on the other side of the proscenium arch. In the future she may be all smiles and cheeriness.

She changes her plot to read, "Come, Johnny, dear. Do it for mama's sake. Nice mammal! Mama who does so many things for you. You love me, such a lot—I just know you do."

There is one thing wrong with the picture and that is all of it. Little children can be taught gratitude in time, but it isn't done this way. And they can be made obliging and obedient too, but it isn't done this way either.

You can't reach a small child through pity because he doesn't actually know what it means. When he is old enough to have his very excellent emotion in sufficient quantity, he will also be old enough to suspect strategy and reject the old chestnut.

A mother I knew well, years ago, resorted to this method. And he boasted, "My son is to be a real son. I am to be his first thought, always." She was. She is.

Here's was, I must confess, the only example of this "poor mother" business or "nice mother" either, that I ever saw carried through to a finish. She made her boy fetch and carry and had him in a perpetual funk by her entreaties and appeals one day; and boosting her stock the next.

Holding the Children

He never married for obvious reasons. Once or twice he bolted but was coaxed back to the fold. He never made a go of anything because his mother wanted him to go into the wholesale business and he loathed it. She was a widow now and needed him still more, so she said.

He is a failure and he knows it. His "poor mother" is hale, hearty, and happy. She won.

It doesn't do—it never has done. The mother who wants to hold her children will do so through love, sense and friendly co-operation, not by wiles or whines. Most mothers know it now, but in the old days—!

THE RIGHT WAY TO APPLY MASCARA
WINKING THROUGH BRUSH'S BRISTLES PERMITS THOROUGH DISTRIBUTION OF DYE ON LASHES

Alice Faye shows the proper technique for applying eye make-up.

By Alice Hart

Mascara is the most flattering of all cosmetics—if it is used sparingly and correctly. Eyelashes, the nondescript kind, that are light on the ends and really aren't attractive frames for beautiful eyes, take on a new glamour when their natural colour is deepened by the application of a bit of mascara.

Once upon a time actresses were the only ones who used any sort of eye make-up and even they resorted to the minute they reached their dressing rooms after the performances were over. Later, mascara and eyeshadow came to be used for formal evening wear and now they are correct on the street, the golf course—any place at all—the only rule being that a

surplus of either isn't becoming and therefore is in bad taste.

Learn to apply your mascara in the new manner. One shouldn't whisk the little brush back and forth across the lashes; but it should be held against them while you wink. As you wink, the upper eyelashes are drawn through the bristles and, in that way, each hair is covered from tip to root. Be careful not to get any mascara into your eyes nor to splash it on the lids. However, if a fleck does get on the eyelid, it can be easily removed with a bit of cleansing cream.

There's a new mascara on the market to-day and it really acts as a dye, staying on for many hours. The directions say to put on a small amount, let that dry and then apply another coat. It comes in several shades.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF.

Oriental Coiffures Come Into Fashion

By Alicia Hart

The West borrows clothes hints from the East this spring, so hair may go Oriental to match.

When we wore short skirts with belts at the hip line, it was smart to have short, windblown bobs. When skirts came down several inches and waistlines moved up to their normal positions, smart women let their hair grow and buns became fashionable. Now Paris Try a jewelled fan, or pin in the hair that our gowns are to be influenced by the Orient and coiffure denla over the left ear.

tures must complement the new silhouettes.

Straight hair lends itself best to these new Japanese-inspired styles. But it must be shiny and well-groomed. Brush for ten minutes each night at bedtime and wash once a week. Be sure to use long, upward strokes when brushing. And rinse out all soap when you shampoo. The least trace of suds will dry the scalp and give hair a dull, listless appearance.

Now for the Oriental coiffure: Brush your hair straight back from the forehead and upward from the nape of your neck. Arrange in a wide, flat bun and pin securely. Eastern hair dress offers pliant opportunities for evening. Try a jewelled fan, or pin in the hair that our gowns are to be influenced by the Orient and coiffure denla over the left ear.

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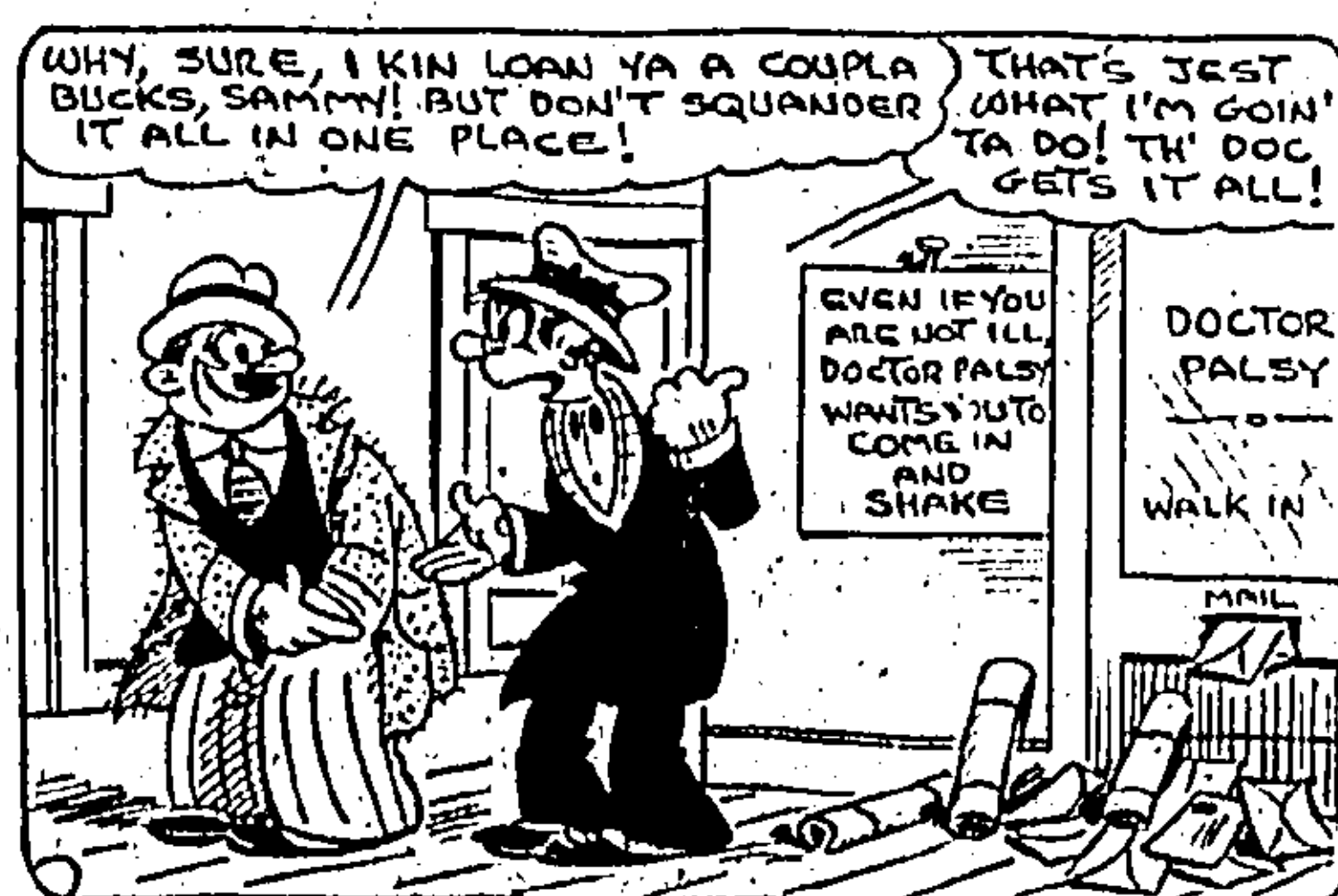


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CHAPTER XXXV

No one met Tom Weaver at the station that night. He swung up the steep street away from the station, a frown creasing his brow. Of course he hadn't expected Gypsy to come, but he did fear the news that might greet him at the big house in Upper Dean street.

The spring twilight was full of pleasant sounds. Birds shrilled in the budding trees and children played in the hedged yards, mad with release after the long winter. Supper smells drifted in the crisp air. And in a quiet room a man lay dying.

The nurse came and went. The doctors touched and looked and shook their heads. And the wife, white and stubborn, refused to accept their verdict. As Tom came into the hall he heard Mrs. Morell saying in a clear voice, "It's all nonsense. I tell you, he's going to get well."

Her eyes, Tom thought, were unnaturally bright and her colour feverish. Gypsy, in the background, looked white and strained. He went to kiss her and she said quietly, "We can't do a thing with her. She's angry with us all."

Maybe she's right, Tom thought. But after he had talked to Dr. Bannerman he became imbued with a sense of hopelessness. Death struck at you in such a cruel way. It made life naked, terrifying.

The long night began to wheel by. The patient was surprising them all with his vitality. He was clinging stubbornly to life although he had not as yet opened his eyes. Mrs. Morell refused to go to bed. She looked at them with scorn when they suggested it.

"Sleep!" she said with bright,

contemptuous eyes. "Why, I want to be here when he wakes."

Gypsy's fearful eyes sought Tom's. When he woke indeed! Tom played patience—he had to do something. The atmosphere of the house was oppressive. Dread made the undercurrent and the low voices were hushed with it. Gypsy could not sit still. She kept getting up and going to the door, as though there was something she could do. The baby had long since been tucked into his crib.

It was 10—it was 11. Suddenly they heard the nurse's running feet above. Tom vaulted the stairs. The tall night nurse, shaken out of her professional composure, stared down at him.

"I—I think he's going," she said.

"Will someone call the doctor?"

Gypsy had heard. She was on the step below. Her dark eyes were enormous. "I'll call him," she said, frozen. "You look after Mother."

They were all in the room now. The solitary light burned dimly under its extra shade. The patient was conscious now after the long spell of silence. He tossed and muttered on his pillow. His thin hands plucked at the coverlet.

It seemed hours, although it was actually only a matter of minutes, before the doctor came. A doctor, Gypsy thought, was a little like God; you expected too much of him. He bustled into the room, tall and stooped and beginning to be a little portly, his eyeglasses dangling from a thin chain.

He put an exploring hand on Harvey Morell's wrist. He bent down, the stethoscope adjusted, and assumed the listening look. He straightened and his eyes sought those of the nurse. "When did the change come?"

"This afternoon," she told him.

"It will be less work all around. I feel I can safely trust you to Mother."

They shared an ancient

"Ten minutes ago, doctor."

"Ah!"

Why don't they do something, Gypsy thought wildly! Why do they stand calmly around? What good are they? She was grateful for Tom's nearness. It was something to hold to in this terrible hour.

The doctor turned to Mrs. Morell. Was it possible that his worn face showed encouragement? He said, very low, "You've been a good soldier, Louise. I think perhaps you've kept him here."

"You mean..." She pressed her handkerchief to her lips. "Don't give me too much hope, Doctor."

"I'm not sure," he told them all slowly. "But I think he's taken a turn for the better."

It was a long, slow struggle, that convalescence. Gypsy and Tom moved back to the apartment in the middle of the second week to take up their own problems again. By that time Harvey Morell was sitting up, propped by pillows. In the big four poster, the morning before she went back to the city Gypsy had a talk with her father. The nurse had left the day before and Gypsy had brought him up his mid-morning cup of broth. All the windows were opened wide this morning to the bright spring sunshine. The curtains moved fitfully and just below the sill at Gypsy's elbow an old gnarled lilac bush had burst unexpectedly into blossom.

"Grand day!"

Her father nodded, his dark face smiling. "You're leaving us?"

"This afternoon," she told him.

"It will be less work all around. I feel I can safely trust you to Mother."

They shared an ancient

joke to the effect that Gypsy was the family protector.

He drained the cup with the invalid's characteristic sigh.

"Good?"

"Wonderful."

She made him more comfortable among the pillows. "Miss your nurse?"

He grinned. "I can spare that woman. She was a bit too bossy."

He was silent for a few moments. Then he said, hesitatingly, "You all right, Gypsy?"

"Yes, of course. Why?"

"I just wondered."

She flushed. Daddy was smart. You seldom fooled him about anything. Had he noticed the last time he had been to see them the coolness between her and Tom?

"Of course, I'm all right. Haven't I got everything in the world?"

"I guess so."

"Just don't you worry about anything but getting strong," Gypsy advised, patting his hand.

"Daddy," she paused, not knowing quite how to go on. "Tom and I have a little money saved."

He told me—he wanted me to tell you it was yours if you need it now."

"Why, that's—that's awfully good."

The man in the bed blinked twice and swallowed hard.

"Thanks, dear. I'll remember that. I think we can get by. It's mighty lucky I kept up that disability insurance. It's paying me \$50 a week right now and I guess we can keep our heads above water. Keep your money, child. You'll need it. Guess you'll be wanting a house of your own one of these days. Tell Tom I appreciate his kind thought."

She twitched the coverlet straight and turned to go but he

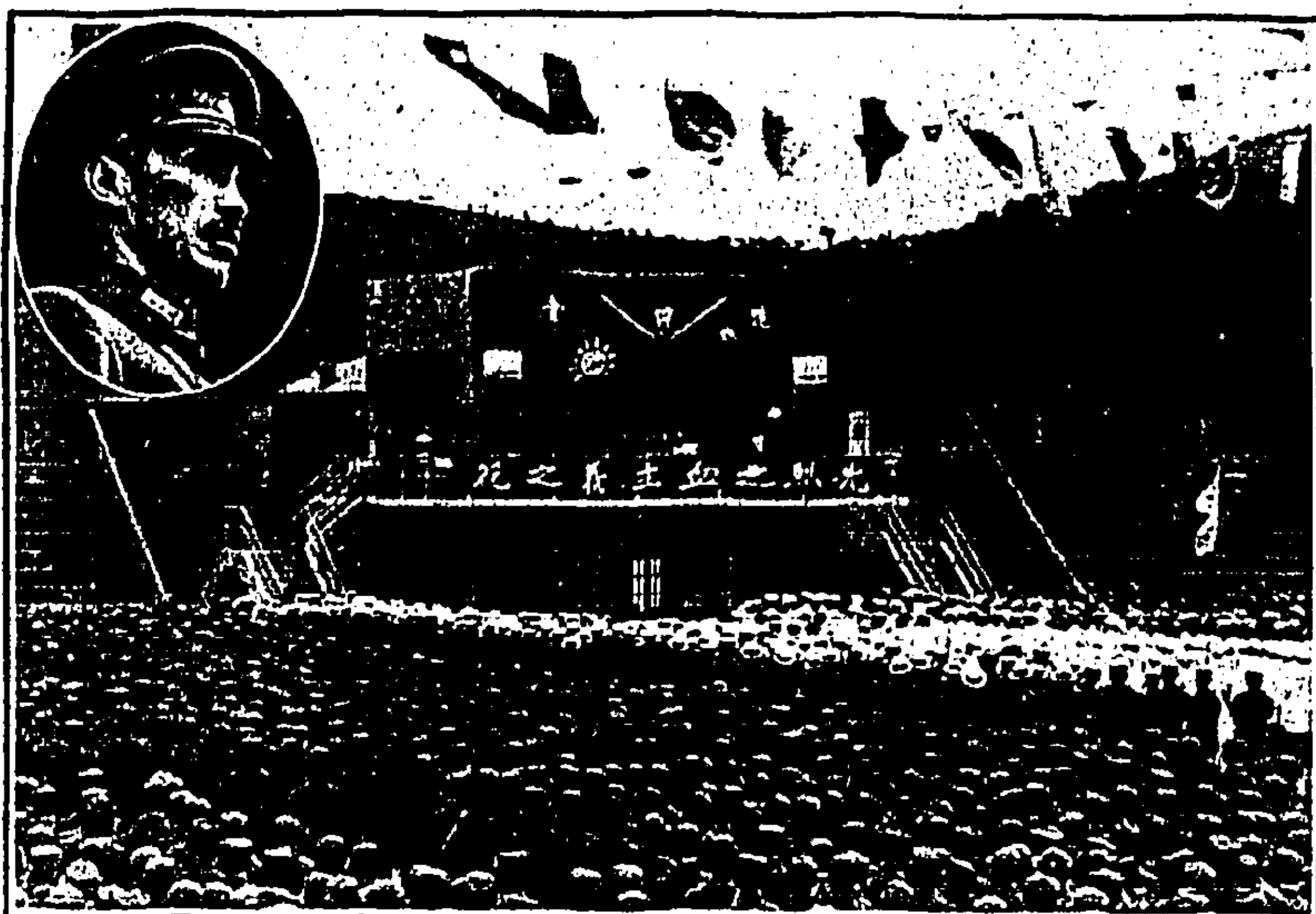
retained her.

"You get a lot of time to think, lying here as I do," he said slowly.

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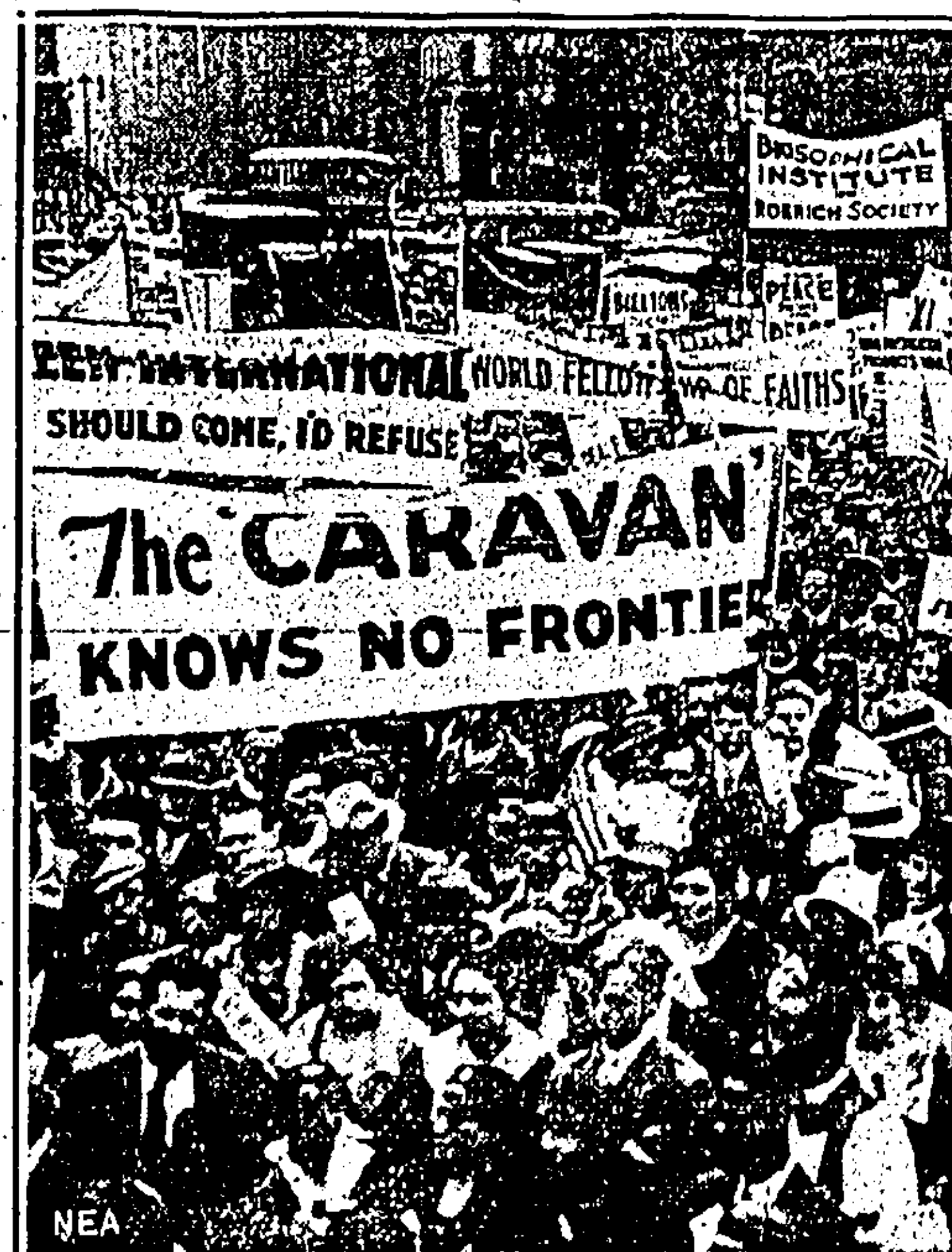
Mr. Norman Davis, who is conducting the American end of the extremely delicate naval conversations now proceeding in London.



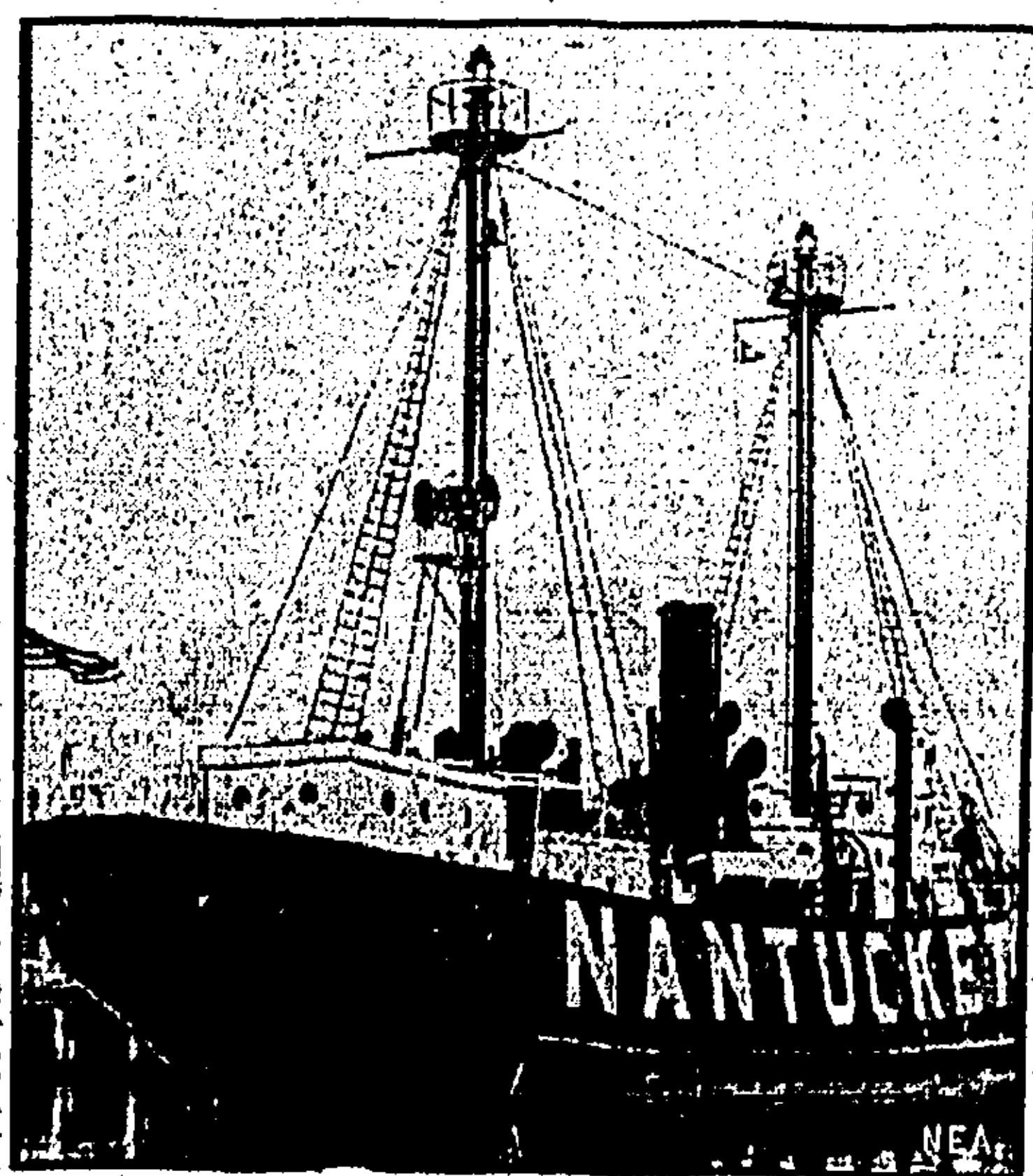
Elaborate ceremonies were held in Nanking on Saturday June 16, in commemoration of the 10th anniversary of the founding of the Central Military Academy, formerly known as the Whampoa Military Academy. This picture shows the Generalissimo (in inset) as he addressed the assembled cadets, extolling the virtue of Dr. Sun Yat-sen and urging his audience to emulate his example.



Vast crowds of people visited the gardens in the Chinese city in Shanghai to see the local celebrations of the Dragon Boat Festival. At the top is a glimpse of the Generalissimo (in inset) as he addressed the assembled cadets, extolling the virtue of Dr. Sun Yat-sen and urging his audience to emulate his example.



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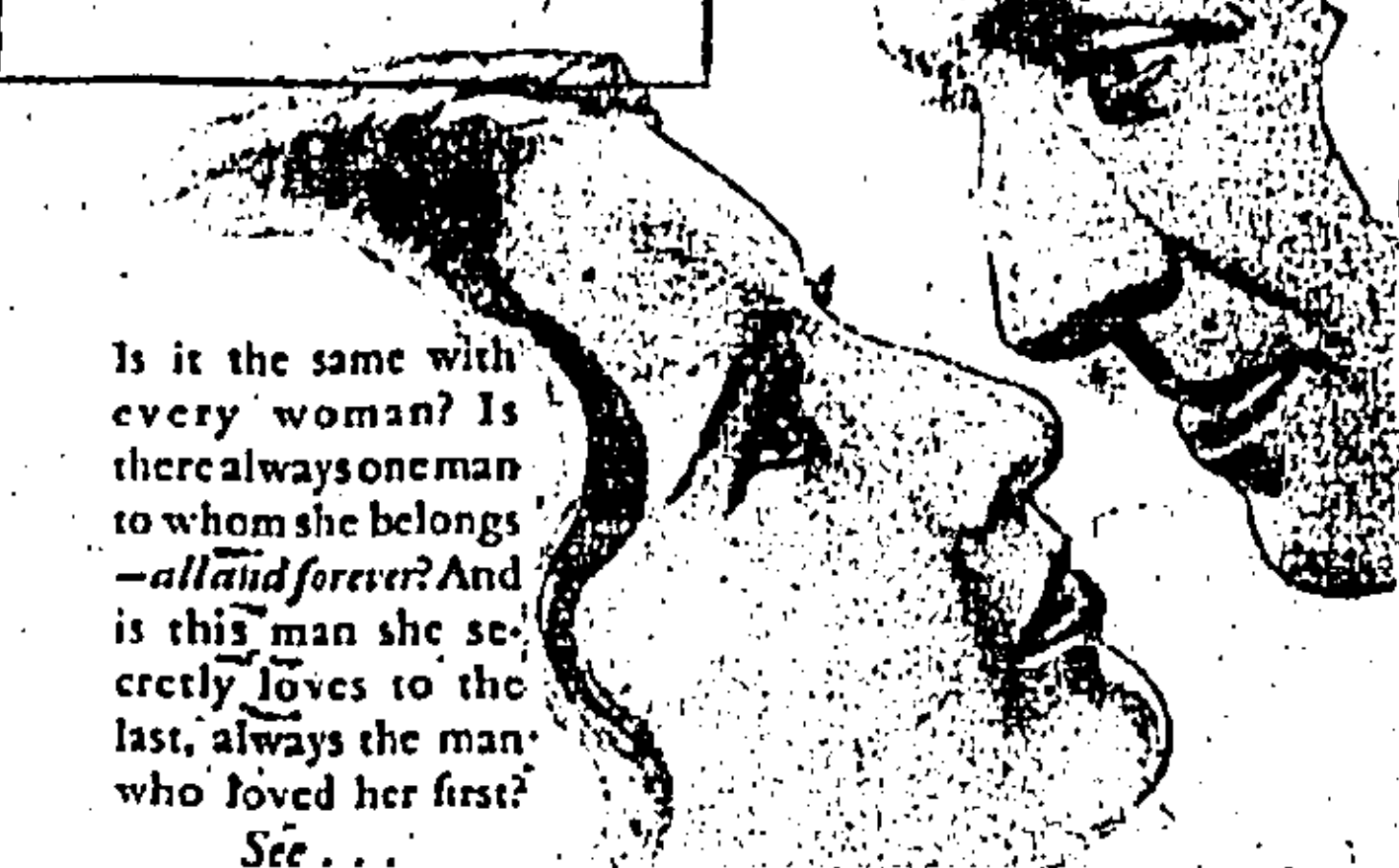
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LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.

Chinese Bonds	June 22	June 25
4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Ins.)	£101 1/4	£101 1/4
4 1/2% Loan 1903	£ 92 1/2	£ 92 1/2
5% Loan 1912	£ 90 1/4	£ 90 1/4
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Ins.)	£ 94	£ 94 1/4
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 90	£ 90
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 65	£ 65
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 34	£ 34
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 25	£ 25
5% Shai-Helchow Ningpo Rly.	£ 98 1/2	£ 98 1/2
5% Honan Rly.	£ 32	£ 32
5% Huankang Rly. 1911	£ 36	£ 37
5% Lung Tsing U. Rly.	£ 15 1/2	£ 15
5% Hal Rly. 1913	£ 15 1/2	£ 15

Foreign Bonds and Banks	June 22	June 25
German 7% Int. Loan 1924	61	62
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 74	£ 74
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 88 1/2	£ 89
H.K. & Shai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£131	£131
Charid. Bk. 25 sh. £ 10 1/4	£ 10 1/4	£ 10 1/4

Industrials and Breweries	June 22	June 25
Associated Elec. Industries	18/6	18/6
Brit. Amer. Tob. (Bearer)	118 1/2	118 1/2

Miscellaneous	June 22	June 25
Chinese Eng. and Ship. (Bearer)	20/-	20/-
Take and Lyle	90/3	90/3
Courtauld	48/9	48/4 1/2
Ditella	90/3	91/-
Dunlop Rubber	45/10 1/2	45/4 1/2
Eveready 6/- sh. General Electric (England)	41/-	40/6
Book	42/0	43/-
Impl. Chem Ind.	35/7 1/2	35/3
Impl. Chem Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	8/9	8/7 1/2
Impl. Tobacco	123/0	123/0
Woolworth	101/3	101/3
Internat. Nickel no par val	£ 25 5/8	£ 25 5/8
Pinehin Johnson 10/- sh.	40/-	40/-
Turner and Newall 25/- sh.	47/0	47/4 1/2
Unilever	23/-	22/0

Miscellaneous	June 22	June 25
Anglo-Dutch Burma Corp. Rs. 10	24/7 1/2	24/6
Canadian Pacific Rly. \$25 sh.	12/6	12/0
Charid. 15/- sh. (Bearer)	£ 15	£ 14 1/2
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	23/3	22/0
Trepca Mines	23/0	23/6
L. a. g. l. a. g. e. Estates	11/9	11/9
London Tin 10/- sh.	35/-	33/- x div.
Pekin Synd 2/- ord. sh.	13/6	13/6
Rubber Frusta	2/-	2/-
Shai Elec. Contr.	32/0	32/0
Van Ryn Deep	53/-	53/-
Electric Musical Industries	66/3	63/0 x div.
Anglo-Persian Oil	28/0	28/6
Burma Oil	46/3	46/3
	78 1/4	78 1/4

OBITUARY.

FAMOUS SOLDIER OF FRANCE

Metz, June 25. General Jacques Gabriel Langlois, one of the most distinguished officers of the French Army, died here to-day.

He was liaison officer between the French and Russian general headquarters from the days of 1915 when Russia's Imperial battalions throwing their weight upon the German and Austrian lines on the Eastern Front preserved the balance in Europe, and relieved the terrible pressure which was testing the combined strength of France, Britain and Belgium to a dangerous point.

Lator he was a member of the Allied Military Control Commission in Germany.—*Reuter Special*

Ex-Senator Thomas.

New York, June 24. Ex-Senator Charles Thomas, well-known advocate of bimetallism died at his home at Denver, Colorado, to-day, at the age of 84.

Charles Spaulding Thomas, born in 1849, was educated at the University of Michigan, and returned to Denver to practise law in 1871. He was a member of the Democratic National Committee from 1884 to 1896, and became Governor of Colorado in 1899, relinquishing the post in 1901. While Governor of Colorado, he was temporary chairman of the Democratic National Convention held in Kansas City in 1900.

On January 14, 1913, he was elected a senator of the United States for an unexpired period, and in 1915 he was re-elected for a further term of six years. He played a prominent part in securing the independence of Korea, being special counsel for the Korean Commission in Washington. He was special counsel in the U.S. Department of Justice in 1922-23.—*United Press.*

Mr. H. B. Franks

London, June 25. Mr. H. B. Franks, director of Messrs. Sedgwick Collins and Company, the well-known underwriters, died last night.

He was an authority on business affairs in China and Japan and in matters in this direction was frequently consulted. He died suddenly, after an emergency operation. He had only returned here, after a five months' tour of the Far East, on June 21, and was apparently in perfect health when he arrived.—*Reuter.*

Southern Railway (Deferred)	June 22	June 25
Royal Dutch 100	£ 21 1/2	£ 21 1/2
Sh. Trans. and Tral. (Bearer)	50/-	50/-
Goldendhuis	31/10 1/2	30/- x div.
Crown Mines	248/0	242/6 x div.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks	June 22	June 25
H.K. Bank, \$1840 n.		
H.K. Bank (London), £131 n.		
Chartered Bank, £10 1/4 n.		
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$28 n.		
Mercantile Bank C. \$15 n.		
East Asia Bank, \$31 n.		
Am. O. Finance Corp. Sh. \$20 n.		
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.		
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5 n.		

Insurance	June 22	June 25
Canton Ins., \$300 n.		
Union Ins., \$572 1/2 n.		
China Underwriters, \$1 1/4 n.		
China Fire, \$510 n.		
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.		
International Assoc., \$3 n.		

Shipping	June 22	June 25
Douglas, \$40 n.		
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.		
Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.		
Indo-China, (Def.), \$33 n.		
Shells (Bearer), 60/- n.		
Union Waterboats, \$11.60 b.		

Mining	June 22	June 25
Antamoks, 69 cts. n.		
Balatoes, \$32 n.		
Baguio Gold, 66 cts. n.		
Bonguet, \$32 1/2 n.		
Bonguet Exploration, 20 cts. n.		
Bonguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.		
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.		
Gold Creek \$2 1/2 n.		
Gold River, 24 cts. b.		
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.		
Itoigons, \$7 n.		
Kailan, 20/- n.		
Langkats (Single), \$18 1/2 n.		
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.		
Shai Loans, \$6 n.		
Raubs, \$14 1/4 n.		
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.		

Docks, etc.	June 22	June 25
H.K. Wharves, \$109 n.		
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.		
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.		
S. China Motors B., \$3 n.		
Providents (new), 50 cts. n.		
Hongkows (old), \$322 1/2 n.		
Hongkows (new), \$320 n.		
New Engineering, Sh. \$5 n.		
Shanghai Docks, \$131 n.		

Cotton Mills	June 22	June 25
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$11.30 n.		
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$72 n.		
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$42 n.		
Zoong Sings, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.		
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$57 n.		

Lands, Hotels, etc.	June 22	June 25
H. and S. Hotels, \$5.90 n.		
H.K. Lands, \$59 n.		
Shai Lands, Sh. \$26 n.		
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.		
Humphreys, \$10.60 n.		
H.K. Realities, \$5.30 n.		
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.		
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.		
Chinese Estates, \$32 1/2 n.		
China Realities, Sh. \$15 1/2 n.		
China Debuture, Sh. \$187 n.		

Public Utilities	June 22	June 25
Tramways, \$21.20 n.		
Peak Trams (old), \$15 n.		
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.		
Star Ferries, (old), \$101 n.		
Yaumati Ferries, \$21 n.		
C. Lights (old), \$8.80 n.		
C. Lights (new), \$8.25 n.		
H.K. Electric, \$73 n.		
Macao Electric, \$25 n.		
Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.		
Telephones (old), \$24.70 n.		
Telephones (new), \$12.15 n.		
China Buses, Sh. \$18.20 n.		
Singapore Tractors, 5/- n.		
Singapore Prof., 16/10 1/2 n.		

Industrials	June 22	June 25
Malabon Sugars, \$12 n.		
Cald Macg. (Pref.), \$19 1/2 n.		
Cald Macg. (Def.), \$2.70 n.		
Cementa (new), \$2.70 n.		
H.K. Ropes, \$4 1/2 n.		

Stores, etc.	June 22	June 25
Dairy Farms, \$26 1/2 n.		
Watsons, \$5.70 n.		
Der A Wang, \$1 n.		
Lane Crawfords, \$4.40 n.		
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.		
Sinceres, \$9 n.		
Wm. Powells, 70 cts. n.		
Wing On (H.K.) \$100 n.		

Miscellaneous	June 22	June 25
Amusements, \$4 n.		
H.K. Entertainments, \$7 1/2 n.		
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 1/2 n.		
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.		
Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n.		
Constructions (old), \$1.65 n.		
Constructions (new), 70 cts. b.		
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds		
87 1/4 n.		
H.K. Gov. Loan 4%, 8 1/2% b. (prem)		
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.		
Gov. Loan 3 1/2%, 3 1/2% s. far.		

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INWARD MAILS.

Straits	Helena	June 26
Shanghai and Swatow	Kingyuan	June 26
Straits	Murozan Maru	June 26
Shanghai and Swatow	Szechuen	June 26
Japan and Shanghai	Asama Maru	June 27
Manila	Emp. of Canada	June 27
Japan	Nankin	June 27
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers)	London, 31st May—and	
Amoy and Swatow	Takada	June 27
Calcutta and Straits	Van Heutz	June 27
Saigon and Air Mail ex Marseilles	Holkon	June 27
Saigon Service	Ginyo Maru	June 28
Straits	Tokushima Maru	June 28
Japan	Tokushima Maru	June 28
Saigon	Felix Roussel	June 29
Straits	Hakodate Maru	June 29
Japan and Shanghai	Kaisar-I-Hind	June 29
Shanghai	Dardanus	July 1
Calcutta and Straits	Hosang	July 1
Straits	Asaponor	July 2
Shanghai	Jean Laborde	July 3
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and	Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 12th	
June)	Empress of Russia	July 4
Australia and Manila	Nelloro	July 4
Shanghai	Sarpedon	July 4
Japan	Africa Maru	July 5
Japan	Brisbane Maru	July 5
Straits	Gango	July 5

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Tuesday	
Hoihow and Bangkok	Kaying	Tues, June 26, 1.30 p.m.
Fort Bayard	Wing Wo	Tues, June 26, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues, June 26, 2 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Lincoln	Tues, June 26, 4.30 p.m.
	Wednesday	
Haliphong	Canton	Wed, June 27, 2 p.m.
Swatow	Solatan	Wed, June 27, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed, June 27, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Takada	Wed, June 27, 5 p.m.
	Thursday	
Shanghai and Japan	Ranchi	Thurs, June 28, 9.30 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru	Thurs, June 28, 10.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Heutz	Thurs, June 28, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs, June 28, 3 p.m.
	Friday	
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, Emp. of Canada		Fri, June 29, 9.30 a.m.
U.S.A. Central and South America		Fri, June 29, 9.30 a.m.
*Europe via Vancouver B.C. (Parcels for Canada only) and		Fri, June 29, 9.30 a.m.
*Europe via Siberia		Fri, June 29, 10 a.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C., 18th July).		Fri, June 29, 1 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhol and Haliphong	Kingyuan	Fri, June 29, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halching	Fri, June 29, 2 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Felix Roussel	Fri, June 29, 4.30 p.m.
	Saturday	
Letters for "Handover—Amsterdam, Kaiser-I-Hind		Sat, June 30
Air Mail Service		Sat, June 30
	G. P. O.	
Reg., June 29, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., June 29, 5 p.m.	
Letters, June 29, 5 p.m.	Letters, June 30, 9 a.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Kalsar-I-Hind		Sat, June 30
East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles		Sat, June 30
(Due Marseilles, 27th July).		Sat, June 30
	G. P. O.	
Reg., June 29, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., June 30, 9 a.m.	
Letters, June 30, 10 a.m.	Letters, June 30, 10.30 a.m.	
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Nankin		Sat, June 30
Zealand via Brisbane		Sat, June 30
(Due Brisbane, 17th July).		Sat, June 30
Amoy	Hupei	Sat, June 30
Manila, Australia and New Zealand Changate		Sat, June 30
via Thursday Island, 12th, July).		Sat, June 30
Reg., June 30, 4.15 p.m.	Letters, June 30, 5 p.m.	
	Sunday	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun, July 1, 9 a.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Yatshing	S

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

One of the most startling love themes ever presented on the screen will be unfolded at the Queen's Theatre on Thursday with the showing of the First National picture "Female," with Ruth Chatterton in the stellar role. This story, by Donald Henderson Clark, is not of one love, but of many. It reverse the role of the pillandering maid with Miss Chatterton playing the part of the huntress who casts a cool and calculating eye on the handsome young men she selects for her vampish, nocturnal adventures. These are mostly employees of her own concern, for she is a big business woman who heads an automobile manufacturing plant. She is as ruthless in love as in her financial dealings, for she carefully casts the young men aside as soon as she tires of them and they try to carry the courtship into the office. As Allison Drake, the business executive, she feels that she is a superior woman who is not bound by the ordinary conventions of the world about her. It is not until she discovers there is one man who will not succumb to her wiles that she wakes up to the fact that her slant on life is a twisted one. Not in a long while has Ruth Chatterton offered so powerful a portrayal and so moving a drama. George Brent plays the leading masculine role, his fourth, time opposite the star. Others in the cast include Lois Wilson, Ruth Donnelly, Ferdinand Gottschalk, and Johnny Mack Brown.

"Four Frightened People"

With the exception of three scenes, which were made in the studio in Hollywood, Cecil B. DeMille's latest Paramount picture, "Four Frightened People," which comes to the King's Theatre on Thursday, was filmed entirely on the wild sections of the island of Hawaii. The company was located two hundred miles by boat from Honolulu. Claudette Colbert, Herbert Marshall, Mary Boland, William Garden and Leo Carillo head the imposing cast which brings this E. Arnold Robertson novel to the screen. It was adapted by Bartlett Cormack and Lenore Coffee. Judy Jones, prim little schoolmarm; Arnold Ainger, quiet, dignified chemist; plump, loquacious Mrs. Mardick, and Stewart Gordon, smart-aleck news paper correspondent, all extremely satisfied with themselves, escape from their boat when a plague breaks out. Ashore, amid sinister shadows, they finally get a native guide to take them through the dense, danger-infected jungle. A wild war was intended to be a three-day trip turns into months when they get lost, and it is then that the primitive in them comes out. The thin covering of culture and civilization is stripped away revealing four primitive humans.

"Riptide"

Having won outstanding triumphs on the screen both in sophisticated and charmingly sweet characterizations, Norma Shearer finds herself unable to decide which she prefers. Her "Divorcee," the first of her sophisticated pictures, won Miss Shearer the Academy of Motion Pictures Arts and Science award for the most outstanding feminine performance of the year 1930. "Smilin' Through" her last picture, famous for its simple charm and sweetness, won the Photoplay Gold Medal Award in 1932. Now in "Riptide," her new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring vehicle which is showing at the Queen's Theatre, Miss Shearer returns to the sophisticated type of role. "For myself," Miss Shearer says, "I admire roles of sophisticated women, but I believe the majority of motion picture patrons desire heroines for whom they can feel a greater sympathy. I would like to continue playing both the sophisticated and sentimentally sweet type of role. Both are interesting from the standpoint of the actress, and also to the audience, apparently. Most of all, I wish to avoid becoming identified with any one particular type, and perhaps by playing both I shall find a greater variety of characterizations availing me." Edmund Goulding wrote and directed the new Shearer vehicle, a glamorous triangular romance with a smart Continental background. Robert Montgomery and Herbert Marshall share

leading man honours and the impressive cast includes Mrs. Patrick Campbell, Steele Gallagher, Ralph Forbes, Lilyan Tashman, Arthur Garrett, Earl Oxford, Helen Jerome Eddy, George K. Arthur, Baby Marilyn Spinnett, Phyllis Cochran, Howard Chaldecott and Halliwell Hobbes.

"Bolero"

George Raft has had to go back on the training table. When his screen career started, he thought the gruelling routine of the diet table and the exercise room, part and parcel of his life since early youth, were all over! But now, in his latest Paramount's film, "Bolero," at the King's Theatre, he is a dancer again. To be able to interpret the tempestuous rhythms of the "Bolero," in the film, he had to go back into training. Early in his life, he was a prize fighter, and had to keep to 112 pounds. Then came baseball, and the necessity of keeping within 122 pounds. Then, on the stage and in European night clubs, as a dancer, he had to keep within a maximum limit of 130 pounds. When he started his film career, he heaved a sigh of relief at the thought of allowing himself to approach once more his natural weight of 140 pounds. When, however, he won the role in "Bolero," he tightened his belt, cut out starches and sweets and began all the old gym and road exercises.

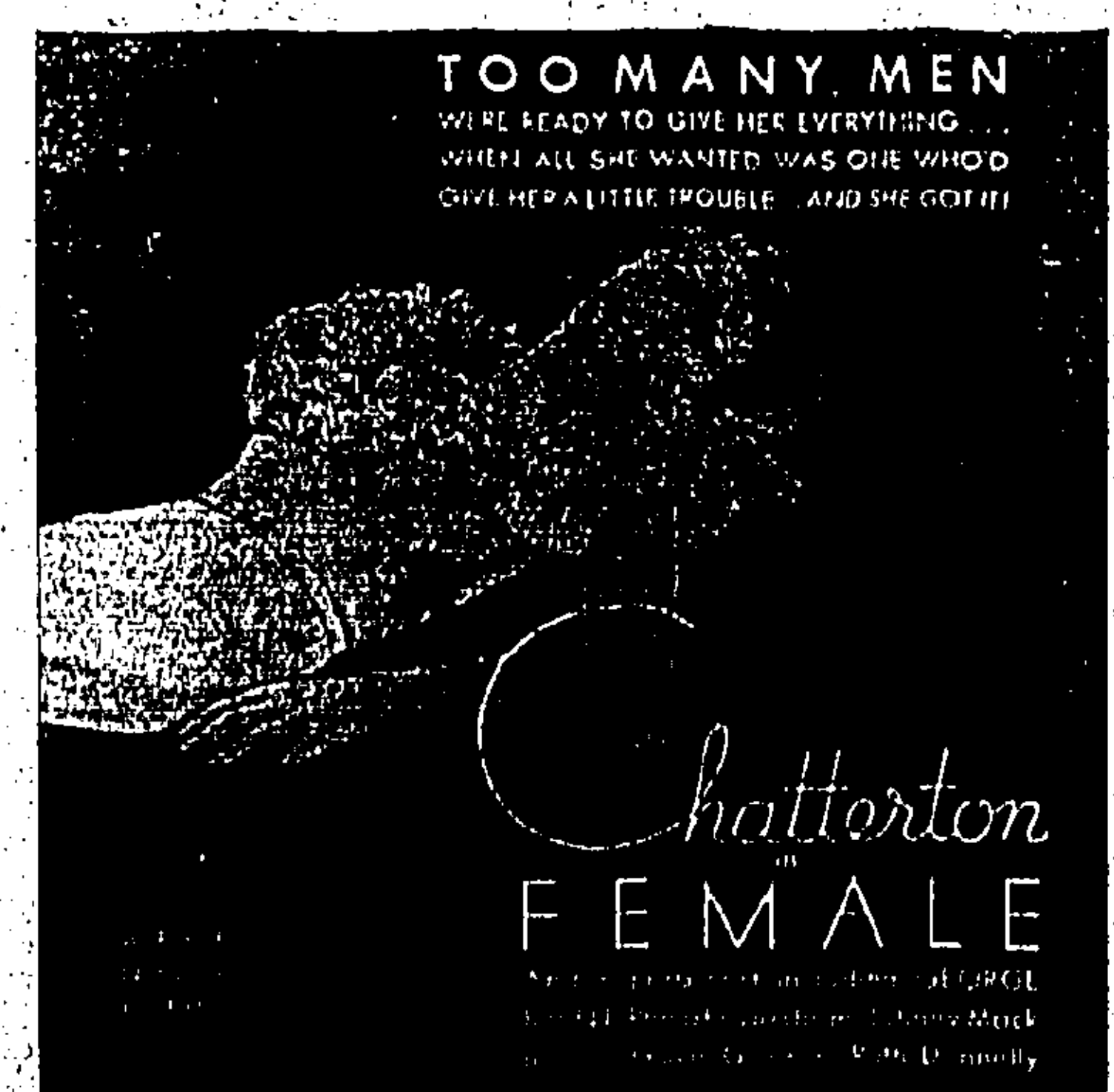
"Ever in My Heart"

Barbara Stanwyck comes to the Alhambra on Thursday in her latest starring vehicle for Warner Bros., "Ever in My Heart," a picture that calls for the expression of the deepest and most powerful emotions she has ever been called upon to portray. The story by Beulah Marie Dix and Bertram Milhauser combines rare and beautiful romance with pulsating dramatic action, and tender pathos. It is the story of a New England girl who marries a German professor and whose happy life is broken up when her husband returns to his Fatherland to serve in the army during the World War. Their fight to retain their romance in the face of stinging cruelties of relatives and former friends is a brave though hopeless one. The drama becomes more tense as they are torn apart by circumstances they cannot surmount and winds up with a smashing climax when they come face to face in France, where the young wife is a cantoken worker and her husband a spy for the German army. It is a far different role from anything which Miss Stanwyck has before been called upon to portray. Gone is the unrepentant gold digger of "Baby Face," "I am a Fool," "Talk About," and "Illicit." There is an exceptionally strong supporting cast with Otto Kruger, one of the greatest players of the legitimate stage, playing the leading masculine role. Though comparatively new to the screen, Kruger is an accomplished actor and is famous on the Broadway stage for his strong characterizations. Other players, noted on both stage and screen, include Ralph Bellamy, Ruth Donnelly, Laura Hope Crews, Frank Albertson, Clara Blumick, Elizabeth Patterson and Harry Beresford. Archie Mayo directed the picture from the screen play by Milhauser.



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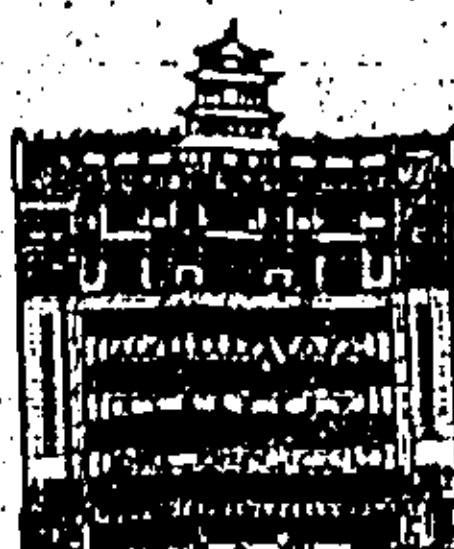
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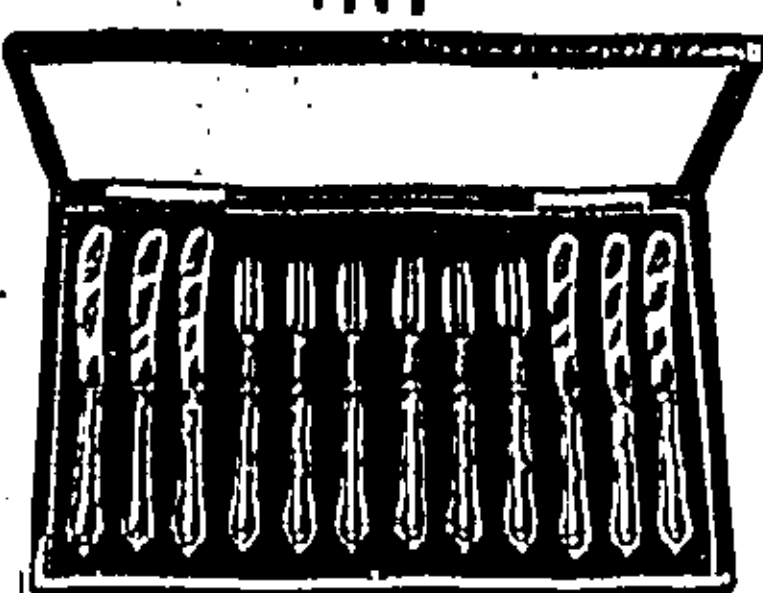
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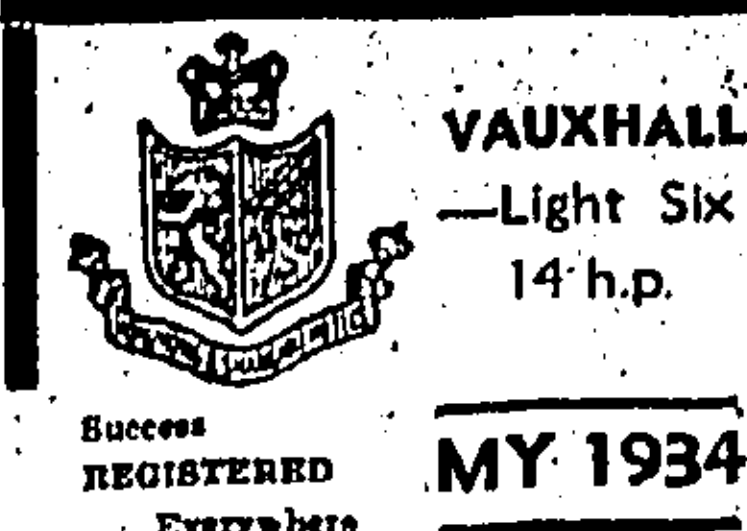
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NAVAL RATIO QUESTION

The more the question of a revision of the existing naval ratio agreements is discussed, the firmer becomes the impression that there are small hopes of any satisfactory solution being reached next year, when another conference is due to be held. Preliminary conversations suggest such widely differing outlooks that the most sensible course would appear to be a postponement of the gathering, accompanied by the preservation of the status quo. Both the Washington and London treaties expire at the end of 1936, a circumstance which makes it necessary to lay down a definite stipulation, if next year's conference is postponed, that there shall be no departure from the existing ratios. One thing is certain, namely, that if the conference meets and results in a breakdown, the upshot will be a new naval armaments race, the end of which would most likely be a fresh war. Rather than incur such a risk, it would be infinitely preferable to continue for the time being on the existing basis. The trouble is, that Japan seems indisposed to consent to any postponement; she wants the conference to meet and to demand thereat absolute naval parity with Britain and the United States. Indeed, it has been plainly stated from Tokyo that if Japan is not conceded parity next year, she will embark on an independent naval programme. This stand admittedly complicates the situation, but it should not be beyond the bounds of possibility to reassure the Tokyo Government that no necessity exists for interfering with the existing ratios at the present juncture. After all is said and done, Japan's security is in no wise endangered by the naval policies of any nation. Moreover, she has no such overseas responsibilities as Britain, nor is she in the position of the United States, with two ocean fronts to defend. Japan has, in fact, less cause for anxiety under existing conditions than she would have were an era of unrestricted naval competition to be inaugurated. If her security were placed in jeopardy, there would be every reason why she should press for the holding of the conference, in the hope of improving her position vis-a-vis other nations. But with no such threat imminent, the case for continuing for the time being on the existing basis would appear to be unanswerable.

NOTES OF THE DAY

SILVER PRICES

The announcement that the United States Treasury is in the market for a further thousand million ounces of silver forebodes automatically a steady rise in the price of the white metal. Careful management may prevent spectacular jumps and so much is promised. It is, however, difficult to understand exactly how it is proposed to prevent speculative rises, or even put an effective brake upon it. The U.S. Treasury can only refrain from aggravating the market situation by staying out when the bulls are active and by taking care not to buy too much on a rising market. Doubtless some restraint could be guaranteed if the Government was able to turn seller at its own discretion, but such a step would be interpreted as running counter to the ratio policy in the Silver Act. There may now appear to be some significance in the fact that this statement of policy is mandatory, not permissive.

NATURAL DEVELOPMENT

It matters little, however, what is done; if the announcement is genuine, an increase in price must be a perfectly natural development. The withdrawal to vaults of visible supplies, even by easy stages, must in itself be a bullish factor; and furthermore, the U.S. Treasury must itself be contemplating a steady increase in price. It is nonsense to talk of plans for buying a thousand million ounces or anything like that quantity unless a price rise has been prepared for. Even Mr. Morgenthau has not been guilty of the fiddling mischievous misunderstanding of price trends which a hope of keeping the white metal round its present level would immediately suggest.

PRICE LEVEL

Mr. Morgenthau talks of meeting speculative sky-rocketing with refusal to buy until prices return to a more profitable level. Even the meaning of that is not clear. To whose profit is the level to be arranged? And, how can any level be probable unless it is possible to sell later for a higher price? At first glance, it sounds like so much playing with words. Doubtless, he means that the Treasury has, in its mind, a level to which it is prepared to see silver go before it thinks of applying four-wheel brakes. What that price is would doubtless be a source of profound interest to a good many people. Sixty-four cents an ounce might prove an excellent guess. That is the price the American Government is already paying for newly-mined silver produced in the United States.

RABIES

The information that two hundred dogs were shot in the Kwantung region following the recent discovery there of a rabid dog must evoke satisfaction in circles that have been critical of the police for the manner of its handling of the rabies menace. A few more campaigns on a similar scale should do an enormous amount of good, for it is the type of dog that went to the slaughter at Kwantung, most of them practically wild and certainly ownerless, which furnishes both the source and the means of the spread of the dread disease. The best feature of the news, however, is the inference that it marks the end of a defeatist attitude towards the problem of tackling the rabies problem in the district where it really belongs. If the public has that assurance, it will readily co-operate with the police in the urban areas until it is possible to give the "All Clear" signal.

MODERN DRESS

The attack on modern feminine dress at Rosary Church, Kowloon, on Sunday made good newspaper "copy," but it is doubtful whether it will make any impression. The attitude of the average man (and woman) differs markedly from the viewpoint expressed by the preacher. Reactions even to extremes in attire are purely relative. The first appearance of an exaggerated style or daring exposure may provoke a lifting of the eyebrow and a backward glance, but the designs of the "hussy" that drew forth so much eloquence from Father De Angelis, are defeated immediately the fashion becomes general. Chorus girls from the Folies of 1900 would look frumpish and unattractive of Mrs. Grundy's salon if they appeared in the streets today. A pleasant explanation of latter-day trends in displays of feminine grace and charms than that offered by the worthy Father is that they are made possible and acceptable by a higher standard in mind and morals among men.

A LOPSIDED CIVILISATION

By C. E. M. JOAD

At last we are alarmed on the subject of liberty. The storm of protest which the Incitement to Disaffection Bill has aroused testifies the fact. In country after country during these last years we have seen liberty eclipsed. It has been voluntarily surrendered by the peoples or forcibly filched by the Governments.

In these countries no citizen can read what he pleases, write what he pleases, or say what he pleases, unless what he pleases is also what the Government pleases. Governments, in fact, are absolute and irresponsible; the Press is their mouthpiece, education their propaganda, history their apologist, the arts their echo. And these changes have been effected in Germany within the short space of 16 months.

We in England have so long taken liberty for granted that it is hard for us to believe that we must fight for its preservation, hard to realise that Mill was right when he said that the price of it was perpetual vigilance. But we are at last beginning to awake to these things. It is to this newly-awakened public opinion that I wish to suggest a new danger to liberty, and to suggest, too, how it can be met.

There is no feature of our modern civilisation more characteristic than its lopsidedness. It is lopsided because of the disparity between our mechanical skill and scientific knowledge on the one hand and our political and social wisdom on the other, between our power over nature and the use to which we put it. Science has given us knowledge fit for the gods and we bring to its use the mentality of schoolboys.

It is this lopsidedness which is responsible for most of those features of our civilisation which, for all their familiarity, it is so difficult to take for granted. For the paradox of want in the midst of plenty—we have not the social wisdom to distribute what science enables us so abundantly to produce. For the threatened destruction of our civilisation in the next war—science has made us so dangerous to one another that we can no longer afford to allow our international relations to be guided by the ethics of the jungle and informed by the mischievousness of the nursery.

For the mechanised use of leisure—possessing in an unprecedented degree the means to the good life, we have yet to learn the art of living it; and for the alarming contrast between the development of the means for reaching and moulding the minds of men and the comparative lack of an equivalent development in the minds so reached and moulded.

And the danger to liberty, briefly, is that, while science has given men the power of controlling other men's minds, it has not yet succeeded in rendering men's minds proof against control. In consequence they are the prey of whatever influences may be able to purchase control of the avenues for the formation of public opinion.

The new instruments which science has forged for the control of men's minds constitute one of the most serious dangers to liberty. Just as the advance of science has concentrated effective military power into fewer and fewer hands,

rendering more numbers impotent against the tank, the bomber and the machinegun, so it has concentrated the power of opinion in the hands of those who control the Press, the wireless and the cinema.

When Hitler in March of this year announced his programme for spending £70,000,000 on public works to reduce unemployment in Germany, his speech was relayed over the wireless to 19,500 meetings of the unemployed. It is estimated that at these meetings no fewer than 3,000,000 people heard the "leader."

It is difficult to exaggerate the importance of this new power or the menace which it constitutes to freedom of thought. It enables the dictators of the modern world to aim quite deliberately at the formation of men's minds. It is well for a dictatorship that all citizens should think alike; hence the deliberate cultivation of uniformity; but it is even better that their unanimous thoughts should be those of their rulers. Hence, in Germany a system of education which seeks to make citizens the mirrors of the State.

How can citizens be protected against these influences? There is one way and one only. The way of education. Democracy has reached a stage in its development when its survival depends upon its ability to develop and to train the intelligence and the Communist States are seeking to produce citizens with minds that mirror their Governments, democracy should and does seek to train citizens with minds of their own. Hence, while its rivals rely upon propaganda, democracy must put its trust in education. Moreover, since it depends upon and presupposes the existence of an alert and instructed body of citizens, able and anxious to pronounce a free and independent judgement upon public affairs, it must go farther and educate its members deliberately for citizenship.

An education designed to fulfil this object will include teaching in geography, civics (structure of government, local, national and international), current history—in my time all the history books stopped at 1815, many of them still do, but none goes beyond 1914—politics, and economics. And it would be not only to the secondary school boy or girl but also to primary schoolchildren in their last year or years at school that this education would be given. (That the school-leaving age should be raised at least to 16 must, I think, be assumed as a matter of course.)

I should myself add instruction in the art of newspaper-reading, wireless-listening, and attendance at meetings, instruction which aimed at inculcating scepticism and inoculating the citizen against appeals to mass emotion. For the primary intention of education for citizenship is not so much to impart information as to create intelligence, that it may endow the citizens of democracy with a critical sense which will render them immune from the manipulators of opinion whom the inventions of science have endowed with a new power over men's minds.

Whilst dictatorship has everything to fear, democracy alone has everything to gain from the intelligence of its citizens.

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ONE

By George

"THE GOLDEN CANDAREEN."

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MADGE caught him. As Jeejeebhoy took his flying leap at her, Madge opened her great arms and caught him as if he were a child.

"My little one," she cooed and kissed him soundly under the left ear.

Then she held him at arm's length to take in the full manly beauty of her big boy friend.

Jeejeebhoy squirmed a little under her piercing eye.

"Lemme down," he pleaded, kicking his legs vainly. Supposing Madge found that he had brilliantine on his hair after she ordered him to cultivate his hair in curls.

Madge laughed hoarsely. Her voice always went early in these scenes. "You haven't kissed me yet!" she exclaimed.

Holding his breath, Jeejeebhoy bent nearer to her. As his eye passed critically over the rugged lines of her face he looked over her shoulder and gave a loud cry of horror.

Why did Jeejeebhoy give a loud cry of horror? Does he see what's coming to him on Thursday when we are killing him off, or is this just a gag to get out of kissing Madge? Only we know and we aren't saying anything till to-morrow. He may just have seen a bit of the amah's ear on the door—a little thing like that would turn Rag's gorge as we have given him a weak stomach since our last instalment—or he may have found out that Madge is a secret drinker! You will remember that she had a wig just after she saw the shadow. She had no time to put the bottle in her back pocket along with her chopper and powder box and Johnny Walker is still there—a silent but potent witness of her vice. Will Johnny speak to-morrow?

CHIT-CHAT

Burns and Allen who appear in Paramount's "We're Not Dressing," which is showing here, admit writing all of their own radio and screen material.—From a local critic.

"Plead guilty" would be a better way of putting it.

"British Embassy, Tokyo, and Miss—" whose wedding has taken place.

"It's not often a girl gets the chance of marrying a whole Embassy, but a dropped line will perform miracles.

"A peculiar accident was that in which a coolie fell off a F.W.D. lorry. This is the second time that a coolie has fallen off a F.W.D. lorry within the last few years."

We wonder whether the writer expects the lorry to fall off the coolie?

Remarkable thing how many more Australians there were in the Colony after the result of the first Test. People whom you had felt sure came from the right country took the trouble to point out that they considered themselves Australians by birth, accident, or some such cause.

The real test will be explaining this away after the final match. At least we hope it will or if we will find raising \$10 the real test.

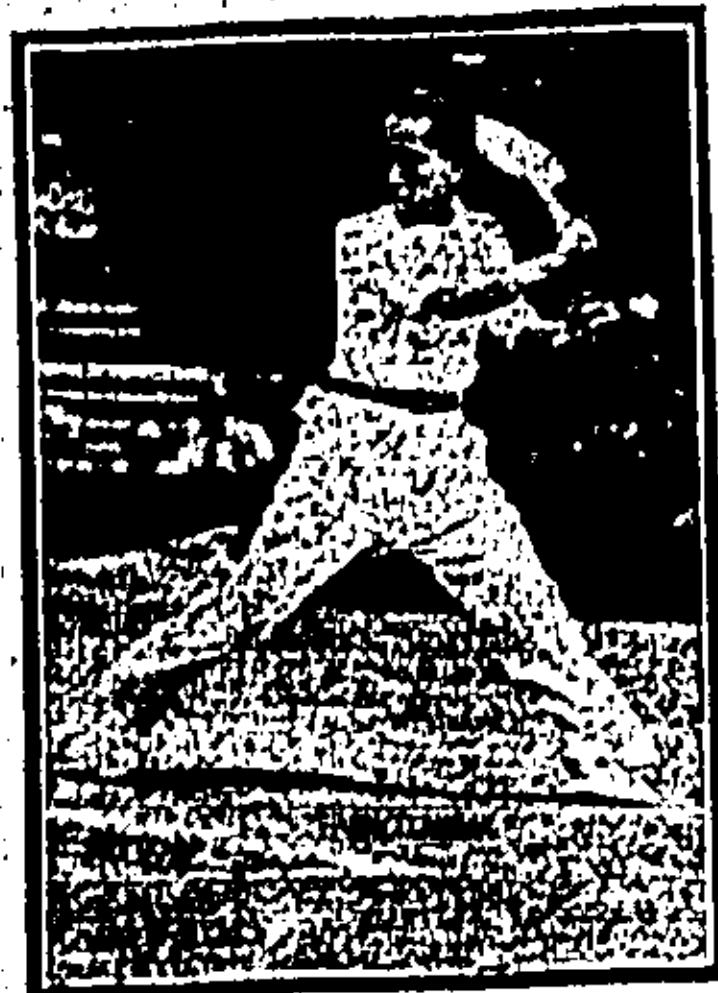
Another sea monster has been seen, this time near Castle Peak. Fishermen describe it as "having a big, bald head, large green eyes and a pointed snout."

If my eyes were green and if I had been bathing near Castle Peak last week, I should have begun an action for libel against the newspaper which published this.



"I always said I'd never do this kind of work for any man!"

McGRATH BEATEN BY SYDNEY WOOD AT WIMBLEDON



R. Miki, who scored a neat victory at Wimbledon yesterday.

FORGING AHEAD

YANKEES AND GIANTS WIN

DETROIT CHECKED

New York, June 25. The New York Giants pulled further away from St. Louis Cardinals as a result of another win over their rivals to-day. The Yankees also continued in winning vein, outplaying Chicago, Detroit, who are on their heels, sustained reverse at the hands of Philadelphia Athletic.

The full results as cabled by Reuter follow.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2	10	1
New York	13	18	0

(Gehrig and Combs homered. Bronce was fanned five times.)

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	9	2
Boston	6	1	0
Detroit	11	12	0
Philadelphia	13	19	1

(Fox homered twice and McNair once)

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	7	2
Pittsburgh	5	14	0

(P. Waner homered)

	R.	H.	E.
New York	10	15	3
St. Louis	7	9	1

(Rothrock homered)

The two were no other National League games arranged.

London, June 25. The great sporting events which are taking place this week include the Open Golf Championship, in which the four leading American players, including Gene Sarazen, are taking part; the Wimbledon Lawn Tennis Championships, which have attracted a specially large entry from countries overseas; and, the continuation of the Second Test Match at Lords—British Wireless.

RESULTS IN BRIEF.

MEN'S SINGLES.

First Round

J. Crawford (Australia) beat I. Tloczynski (Poland) 6-2, 7-5, 8-6.
S. B. Wood (America) beat V. McGrath (Australia) 10-8, 6-4, 6-4.
H. W. Austin (Britain) beat M. Slem (India) 6-3, 6-1, 6-2.
F. X. Shields (America) beat D. Prens (Russia) 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.
H. C. Fisher (Switzerland) beat I. Aoki (Japan) 6-3, 6-1, 6-3.
R. Miki (Japan) beat G. E. Godsell (Britain) 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.
H. Nishimura (Japan) beat K. C. Gandar (Monaco) 7-5, 6-4, 6-1.
J. Fujikura (Japan) beat Duplaix (France) 6-2, 6-3, 8-6.
G. de Stefani (Italy) beat V. Landau (Monaco) 7-5, 10-8, 7-9, 7-5.
C. Boussus (France) beat E. Hare (Britain) 6-3, 6-1, 6-4.
G. Von Cramm (Germany) beat J. Hebda (Poland) w.o.
F. J. Perry (Britain) beat Lieut. C. R. D. Tuckey (Britain) 6-2, 6-2, 5-7, 6-0.

Fine Bowling By Kent Colt

LEWIS 12 FOR 117 AGAINST LANCS.

London, June 25. Lewis, the young Kent bowler, who has already performed notably on several occasions this year, was the outstanding personality of the county cricket match between Lancashire and Kent, which the latter won to-day by seven wickets, after some low scoring.

Lewis twice confounded the Lancashire batsmen. In their first innings he took 7 for 73 and was mainly responsible for their dismissal for 174, and when they batted a second time he captured 5 for 44, Lancashire being all out for 129.

Kent did well to gain a useful lead on the first innings. On Saturday they were 22 behind with two wickets in hand, but the late batsmen added a further 60 runs to put Kent 38 ahead.

Set to score 93 to win, Kent obtained the runs for the loss of three wickets.—Reuter.

CRAWFORD, PERRY AND AUSTIN WIN

STEFANI GIVEN A RARE SHOCK BY MONACO PLAYER

HARE FALLS VICTIM TO BOUSSUS: EASY FOR FRANK SHIELDS

JAPANESE HAVE A GOOD DAY (SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, June 25.

Heavy showers fell at Wimbledon early this morning, and the uncertain state of the weather affected the attendance for the opening matches of the world's most important tennis championship, with the result that there was plenty of room around the courts.

There were no surprises in the first round. Crawford, of Australia, and holder of the title, had to pull out his best shots against I. Tloczynski to win in straight sets. Tloczynski is one of Poland's leading players, having represented that country in several international matches. He has victories over H. G. N. Lee, H. Timmer and L. Hecht to his credit.

Sydney Wood, one of the chief challengers this year, beat Vivian McGrath, young Australian "hope" after a splendid match. Wood, playing with more power than when he won the championship by default in 1931, served many aces and was altogether too fast for McGrath, who was clearly dazzled by the concentrated energy, allied with accuracy, of his opponent.

H. W. Austin had no difficulty in overcoming the wily M. Slem of India, losing only six games in three sets in his accomplishment. Frank Shields, another of the United States contingent was much too good for Daniel Prens, former German Jew, who entered this year from Russia. Shields, bringing his range of powerful strokes into play, won in straight sets.

STEFANI GIVEN SHOCK.

The longest match of the day, and one which came the nearest to a sensation in result was G. de Stefani's win over V. Landau of Monaco. The Italian won in four sets after 58 games.

Stefani never approached the form by which he beat Fred Perry in the French Championships, and had a narrow escape from defeat. Landau, No. 1 ranking player of Monaco since 1928, has beaten many of the world's leading players during his six year's career.

Keen disappointment was felt in the early defeat of G. E. Hare, the young Birmingham player, who had performed so well this year. He ran against Christian Boussus of France, and went down in straight sets.



Vivian McGrath of Australia, beaten in the first round at Wimbledon by Sydney Wood.

Fred Perry was given Lieut. C.R.D. Tuckey, the Army champion, as his first opponent, and the result was a fairly comfortable win, although Tuckey succeeded in winning the third set.

Perry went to his points in the fourth stanza without losing a single game.

Von Cramm, recognised as one of the most dangerous opponents Crawford will have in his effort to retain the championship, was given a walk-over by Josef Hebda of Poland. The latter scratched owing to illness.—Reuter.

EARLIER GAMES

Three Japanese In Second Round

London, June 25. In defeating Duplaix 6-2, 6-3, 8-6, Fujikura, the Japanese Davis Cup player, produced some beautiful and easy winners on both sides of the court.

Duplaix's awkward service and backhand made him an easy prey to Fujikura's graceful strokes.

In the last two sets the Japanese stormed the net successfully, and cleverly mixed this type of game with beautiful drop shots.

NISHIMURA THE SPHINX.

Nishimura, Japan's leading singles player, accounted for Gandar Dower, formerly of Oxford in four sets. Nishimura was sphinx-like and took some time to settle down owing to the slowness of the court.

The Englishman started by hitting strongly, while Nishimura punctuated his strokes with mistimed shots. He improved as the game went on, and demonstrated his versatility on the court with a succession of speedy forehand and backhand drives which were very accurate. Later he left Gandar Dower helpless with inswerving drop shots.

MASTERLY MIKI.

G. E. Godsell, the 27 year-old St.roud player, who has won many open tournaments, and has taken sets from Fred Perry, E. R. Avery, Nigel Sharpe and R. J. Ritchie in competitive matches, was no match for the wily Miki.

The Japanese indeed, won so easily, that he played through three sets without removing his sweater.

Godsell indulged in some fire-work hitting, but his free style did not upset Miki, who by clever placing had his opponent running full over the court. Miki drove brilliantly and won several points with neat drop shots from the baseline. Occasionally Miki went to the net and finished off the rallies with firm shots.

AOKI OFF FORM.

H. C. Fisher, the Swiss player was fortunate enough to find Aoki off form. The Japanese continually over-drove and seldom brought off winning shots at the net.

Fisher, who is an Oxford soccer and tennis player, put in some effective work at the net and his excellent cross court shots left Aoki standing.

The Japanese added further to his own downfall by erratic serving. By such means he lost numbers of points which should have been his.—Reuter.

Runner's New World Mark Challenged

Los Angeles, June 25. Hardin, who yesterday claimed world records in the quarter mile and 220 yards low hurdles in the Col. legiate games here, may not be allowed the honour of a time the electric clock denies.

Although his new mark in the quarter mile is not challenged, his time in the low hurdles event is said to have been incorrectly taken.

Hardin's training camp clocked him at 22.7 seconds. The electric clock said 23.13 sec. The world record is 22 seconds flat. It is unlikely his claim will be allowed.—Reuter.



FRANCIS X. SHIELDS

New Tennis Fixture List

ADDITIONAL "C" DIV. PROGRAMME

The Hon. League Secretary of the Lawn Tennis Association has announced the supplementary fixture list for the "C" Division of the league, made necessary by the decision not to confine the season's fixtures to matches purely between teams in Hongkong and Kowloon.

It will be seen that this new list provides for matches on both Mondays and Fridays.

JULY 2ND.

C.R.C. v K.C.C. I.R.C. v D.K. P.R.C. v C. de R. C.C.C. v K.D.R.C. C.S.C.C. v K.B.G.C. R.S.C. v C.B.A. A.T.C. v S.C.A.A.

JULY 9TH.

A.T.C. v K.C.C. H.K.U.T.C. v D.K. C.R.C. v C. de R. I.R.C. v K.D.R.C. P.R.C. v K.B.G.C. C.C.C. v C.B.A. C.S.C.C. v S.C.A.A.

JULY 16TH.

C.S.C.C. v K.C.C. R.S.C. v D.K. A.T.C. v C. de R. I.R.C. v K.D.R.C. P.R.C. v K.B.G.C. K.B.G.C. v C.B.A. C.R.C. v S.C.A.A.

JULY 23RD.

P.R.C. v K.C.C. C.C.C. v D.K. C.S.C.C. v C. de R. R.S.C. v K.D.R.C. A.T.C. v K.B.G.C. H.K.U.T.C. v C.B.A. C.R.C. v S.C.A.A.

JULY 30TH.

K.C.C. v H.K.U.T.C. D.K. v C.R.C. C. de R. v I.R.C.

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AUSTRALIA VERSUS VERITY

YORKSHIRE BOWLER SHOWS HIS PROWESS ON GLUEPOT

ENGLAND TRIUMPHS IN THE SECOND TEST

AUSTRALIA met Hedley Verity on a glue-pot wicket at Lord's yesterday. The result was inevitable, and England are now on level terms with their cricketing rivals from the Antipodes.

THIS was the second time a Test match at Lord's has been won by an innings. In 1880 England dismissed Australia for 121 and 120 to win by an innings and 106 runs.

TO Verity, who spins a ball very nearly as well as "Tich" Freeman, the wicket was a Paradise like a Paradise lost, regained. To the Australians it was a terrifying thing. A horrible phenomenon. A nightmare.

IN this respect England had the luck of the game. But it is to their credit that they made full use of the gift of the gods. Verity got every ounce of assistance out of that pitch, and his colleagues gave him the maximum amount of support and encouragement in the field.

THE effectiveness of the English attack can be gauged by the fact that Australia lost 18 wickets for 210 runs during the day's play.

VERITY'S figures for the day were: 44.3 overs 17 maidens 80 runs 14 wickets. For the entire match they read: 58.3 overs 23 maidens 104 runs 16 wickets.

OF Verity's fifteen victims, eleven were caught in the field. Silent tribute this to the English keenness. The bowler himself caught two others and also clean bowled two.

THE match was a triumph for Yorkshire. Leyland saved his country from collapse in the first innings. Verity and Bowes shared the wickets in Australia's initial visit to the crease, and Verity continued the good work in the follow-on.



Bowes.

YESTERDAY'S score was the lowest second innings total recorded in a Test match at Lord's since 1888. On that occasion Australia won by 61 runs after being sent back for 60 in their second knock.

WOODFULL alone contrived to demonstrate defence under difficult conditions. But then that is Woodfull's normal game. The cables stress the number of batsmen who were out to false strokes or mistimed hits. Nothing shows more clearly the necessity for a good easy-paced wicket for the Australian scoring machine.

BRADMAN, Darling, Bromley and McCabe all lost their wickets during the day through mistimed or bad strokes.

THE biggest stand in the second innings was between Woodfull and McCabe. They added 33 for the second wicket. Afterwards four wickets fell at the same total. Five wickets were lost for the addition of a single run. The last eight batsmen left for an additional 75 runs.

THE match was an extraordinary contrast to the last one played at Lord's. In 1930 England scored 425 in their first innings, but the Australians responded with 729 for 6 declared. It was the time Don Bradman scored 254. Again England batted well, hitting up 375 in the second attempt, but it was not good enough, Australia hitting off the 72 for the loss of three wickets.

U.S.R.C. WIN THE MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Glorious Opportunity Missed By The Kowloon Cricket Club

(By "Veritas").

The United Services Recreation Club yesterday won the championship of the mixed doubles tennis league when Mrs. Miller drove a ball out of the court to give the Services the required fifth game for the match.

But the U.S.R.C. had morally won some time minutes earlier, when E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Wilson had gone down in startling fashion to L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll in what was regarded as the all-important match of the afternoon.

It was touch and go for the Services. The K.C.C. missed one glorious chance of winning the match when A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Miller found themselves leading Major and Mrs. Withington 4-1: but the visiting pair cracked up, lost the next four games in a row, and finally the set at 7-5.

BODIKER A SUCCESS.

The introduction of George Bodiker into the K.C.C. team was quite a success. He and Miss Griffiths won two sets, and played together exceedingly well in view of the fact that they had had only a couple of hours practice together beforehand.

Had Bodiker been a little stouter and overhand against Goldman and Mrs. Kayll, there might have been a surprise result in this game. As it was the K.C.C. pair took the "Colony's" best mixed doubles combination to 6-4. Mrs. Kayll was not at her best until the final set against Fincher and Mrs. Wilson. Then she jumped into brilliant form, smashing, volleying and driving with great power and accuracy. She dominated the net, and was assisted in no small manner in the falling off of Teddy Fincher, who seemed to find Mrs. Kayll's racket a magnet and could not keep the ball away from it.

Two lucky points to the winners in the first game of the set upset the K.C.C. pair. Fincher replied with over-driving, and Mrs. Wilson allowed too narrow a margin for error, with the result that an abundance of mistakes gave the Services combination an unexpected number of points.

THE TIDE TURNED.

Captain Cannon experienced an "off day." It appeared that he found the vivid light very trying, and was certainly well below the mark at the net.

Finally it was Major and Mrs. Withington who really turned the tide in favour of the homesters, and their recovery against Guest and Mrs. Miller was a very fine performance.

The issue was in doubt until the last round. The K.C.C. led two sets to one and then finished the second round at three-all. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll put the Services into the lead for the first

time, and Capt. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan settled things with a win against Guest and Mrs. Miller.

The United Services, who won the title two years ago, are worthy champions. They have turned out one of the best balanced sides ever to compete in this league. Yesterday they were favoured to an extent by fortune, in that Mrs. Kayll was to have sailed for North last week, but the boat was delayed until to-day. Her presence yesterday meant all the difference between victory and defeat. She and Goldman have gone through four matches without losing a single set.

E. C. Fincher and Mrs. W. H. Wilson (K.C.C.) lost to L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll 6-2; beat Capt. P. S. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan 7-5; beat Major and Mrs. Withington 6-1.

G. Bodiker and Miss Griffiths (K.C.C.) lost to L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll 6-4; beat Capt. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan 6-3; beat Major and Mrs. Withington 7-5.

A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Miller (K.C.C.) lost to Goldman and Mrs. Kayll 6-3; lost to Capt. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan; lost to Major and Mrs. Withington 7-5.

LEAGUE TABLE.

	W.	L.	S.	P.
U.S.R.C.	5	0	0	10
K.C.C.	2	2	0	10
L.R.C.	4	0	1	5
C.R.C.	5	1	3	17

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HOW THE AUSTRALIANS COLLAPSED

HOPELESS ON WET WICKET

AT MERCY OF VERITY

MANY ERRORS BY BATSMEN

London, June 25. His Majesty the King was present at Lord's this morning when an exceptionally large crowd attended the third day's play in the Test Match. The skies were overcast and there was a successful appeal on account of the bad light at the opening, but the day was very brief as the weather showed signs of improving and the sun appeared. The pitch was tricky following week-end rains and the batsmen were early in difficulties. The English bowlers, Bowes and Verity were particularly dangerous.

After four wickets had fallen in rapid succession during the first hour, play was suspended while the players were presented to the King. The Australians first innings score was 102 for two when Brown, 103 and McCabe, 24 remained. England had scored 440 in her first innings.—*British Wireless.*

PROGRESS OF MATCH.

Following the rain over the week-end the pitch was very tricky and W. A. Brown and S. J. McCabe, carrying on their innings which had brought Australia to a sound position, were helpless.

Brown was the first to go. He smacked a ball from Bowes and Ames, standing well back, took it gracefully. Brown had scored just five over his century, and his brilliant innings included fourteen fours. He batted for 195 minutes, but was able to add only two runs to his earlier score before he was dismissed, 203-3-105.

SUDDEN COLLAPSE.

It was apparent that the wicket would play havoc with the batsmen by this time. L. S. Darling, who joined McCabe, went out for a duck. He gave a dolly catch to Sutcliffe at short, fine leg, off, Verity's bowling, 204-4-0.

With one more run added McCabe went back to the pavilion. McCabe's police was shaken by the pitch. Gons was his early nonchalance. He had added only ten runs to his overnight total of 24 when he was caught by Hammond playing short second slips off an up-hopping ball from Verity, 205-5-34.

WICKETS FALL STEADILY.

Chipperfield had scored 32 when he lost his partner. Bromley who was caught by Geary at short fine leg off Verity, 215-6-4.

Oldfield was caught by Sutcliffe at second slip off Verity with his score at 23. He put up a valuable stand for forty minutes, 258-7-23. Grimmett was bowled by Bowes when he had scored nine, the eighth wicket falling for 273 runs, 273-8-9.

Before lunch Verity was almost unplayable. The players were presented to His Majesty the King, who chatted with Woodfull, Bradman, Oldfield and Wyatt, while the crowd baredheaded cheered enthusiastically.

The lunch time score saw Australia with 273 runs for eight wickets. FIGHT TO AVERT FOLLOW ON.

After lunch there was an exciting struggle to avoid the follow on. Chipperfield, who had scored 37 in a solid display for 120 minutes was joined by O'Reilly, but soon lost his partner who was bowled by Verity for four. The ninth wicket falling for 284 runs, 284-9-4.

Wall the next man in was leg before wicket to Verity for a blot. The innings thus terminated at 284. Ames conceded ten extras. The whole innings had lasted 325 minutes. Chipperfield was undefeated with 37.

VERITY'S INSPIRED SPELL.

Verity with his spinning, upraising deliveries finished the innings with the splendid figures of 22 overs, nine maidens, 37 runs, 6 wickets. His final analysis was seven wickets for 61 runs. Farnes conceded 43 runs without success; Bowes captured three wickets for 98 runs; Geary conceded 58 runs for no wickets, Hammond six runs for no wickets and Leyland ten for no wickets.

In the short space of time left before tea, Australia was sent in to bat again, needing 150 runs to avoid an innings defeat, and had scored 74 runs for the loss of three wickets when tea was taken.

VERITY AGAIN SHINES.

Woodfull and Brown went out to open Australia's second innings before tea, having failed to avert the follow-on.

Woodfull as usual was stolid, and took no chances. He scored with well timed shots to the leg. Brown was the first to leave, being caught by Walters at long-leg, when he tried to pull Bowes to the boundary. His contribution was two. The first wicket fell with the score at ten, 10-1-2.

Although the wicket was drying out, Verity was still very dangerous, and was troubling the batsmen a great deal. McCabe joined Woodfull, but was out to a poor shot, being caught by Henderson fielding at silly mid-off. The bowler was Verity. McCabe had scored 10, 43-2-2.



A stirring finish that brought a colourful crowd of 15,000 fans to their feet is pictured here as Mrs. Dodds Sloan's four-year-old Okapi (extreme right) surged ahead of Kawago and Sgt. Byrne to win the 41st running of the Toboggan Handicap at the Belmont Park (Long Island) spring opening. The triumph, Okapi's second in as many years, earned \$3,250.

TENNIS IS BECOMING TOO FAST

NEW BALL PREVENTS PLAYERS FROM CONTROLLING THEIR SHOTS

(By Stanley N. Doust.)

The International Lawn Tennis Federation has solicited on players all over the world a harder lawn tennis ball. The idea is to speed up the game.

The proposal came from the United States and, I understand, was approved by the federated countries with very little discussion.

It is only three years ago since the ball was increased in hardness, but it is doubtful if lawn tennis has actually increased in speed on that account. But the players put up with it and, generally speaking, I do not think the quality of lawn tennis has depreciated. Nor do I think it has improved.

But the 1934 ball is so hard that the players find it almost impossible to control with tightly strung rackets. There is not enough deformation or "give" to allow the feel of the ball on the racket, and merely to hit hard is like playing the ball with a piece of wood.

PLAYERS IGNORED.

In consequence the players are aggrieved that they had not been consulted before the change was made. They had become accustomed to the ball adopted three years ago, which they could play with a very tightly strung racket. To-day to get the same control they have had to alter the tension of the strings.

It is strange that the other nations affiliated to the federation should enter so whole-heartedly with the United States in the craze for faster lawn tennis. Theoretically, such a scheme was all in favour of the American players, whose services were deadly enough with the supposedly slower ball.

The faster ball put on the market three years ago acted like a beacon to the American players, as the results of the Davis Cup, the Wimbledon championships of last year, and their own national championships proved.

BRADMAN'S UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

Bradman then joined Woodfull, who was keeping up his end very well, presenting a stolid face to the bowling. In trying to pull Verity to the leg, however, Bradman mistimed one of Verity's spinners, and offered an easy catch to Ames behind the wicket, which was accepted. Bradman's score was 13, 57-3-13.

Darling was associated with Woodfull when the ten interval was taken, the score being 74 for three wickets. The pair had put on 17 runs, Darling's contribution being nine, and Woodfull's 28.

The Australian stand was short-lived after tea, and the fall of wickets was swift enough to gratify the most enthusiastic England supporters. Verity was the cause.

FIVE WICKETS FOR ONE.

Woodfull was the first to go, caught by Hammond in second slips, off Verity, after he had scored a useful 43 in a fighting innings of two hours, 144-4-43.

Darling was clean bowled by Hammond who uprooted his off stump when he had scored ten, and before another run could be added after Woodfull's departure, 144-5-10.

The next wicket cost one run. Bromley attempted a big hit and mistimed the swing. He was caught and bowled by Verity, 156-6-1. Then came Oldfield and Grimmett. Both were out without a score, and Australia had lost five wickets for the astounding total of one run!

Oldfield was bowled by Verity, 156-7-1. Grimmett was taken in short slips by Hammond, with a beautiful left-handed catch, off Verity, 156-8-0.

Chipperfield, meanwhile, had been trying his hardest to stop the rot, but he was caught by Geary, low down, in first slip, off Verity, when he had scored 14, 112-9-14.

Wall and O'Reilly were together when the end came, the latter being caught by Henderson off Verity. Verity had the remarkable average of 12.3 overs, four maidens, fifteen runs and six wickets. After tea, three wickets fell to him in one over.

The Americans failed in those international events because they relied solely on speed. They served like lightning and volleyed fiercely. But these two factors do not make up the sum total of skill in lawn tennis.

The return of service is the most important stroke in the game, and H. W. Austin and F. J. Perry excel in this department. That is one reason why Great Britain holds the Davis Cup, and why Perry is now the best player in the world.

WHAT WAS THE NEED?

Everything can be conquered. Those demon-like services of Gerald Patterson, M. McLoughlin, W. T. Tilden, and Ellsworth Vines, which at first wrought havoc among their opponents, are now controlled by such receivers of the service as Perry, Austin, and Crawford. No longer is it a sure thing for the man with the express service.

There is no doubt that our own services could be improved, but the day when the "cannon-ball" delivery was feared has vanished. Was there over any need for the ball to be made harder and so faster? Lawn tennis has become fast enough in all conscience.

Jean Borotra, who revels in the fast game on the wood surface, said to me before the final decision of the federation: "Lawn tennis is now too difficult a game for most people, and I think it will spoil the game for everybody, including the Americans themselves, if the decision to make the ball harder is adhered to."

ARMCHAIR EXPERTS.

The trouble is that the legislators of the game are men well over forty and too old to test the ball by playing with it against good players. The practical test of playing is worth much more than the test of a calculating machine, however ingenious, to tell whether the harder ball is suitable or not.

Borotra was dead against the change. Was Cochet asked his opinion? Were Austin or Perry consulted? Were they even asked to try the ball and express their views after the trial? Then what about the multitudes who play in clubs, parks, and open spaces? For these the game is too difficult already, and there are more than a million in this class in England alone. They are the source of our future champions.

PLEASANT RUN.

Local Cyclists Undertake Spin To Castle Peak.

WEEK-END ADVENTURE.

The last week-end run of the Hongkong Cycling Club was perhaps the most pleasant of any yet undertaken. Several new members took part in the spin to Castle Peak Bay which they departed from the Yau-mat Ferry at 9.15 a.m. No trouble of any kind was endured, and the riders reached the Bay in beautiful bright sunshine a little before 11 a.m. After refreshments at the Castle Peak Cafeteria and a bath, the party proceeded onwards to near Un-Long, then retraced their tracks to the beach again, and it was not until 5 p.m. that the homeward trek was resumed.

Mr. C. Read (Captain) deserves congratulations for the apt manner in which he initiated the new riders, and for the comfortable pace on the return trip which brought the party to Shamshui a few minutes after 5.30 p.m.

Next week Mr. Read will again conduct the run to the same venue, probably by another route, and interested cyclists who have not yet attended a run, should seize this opportunity for their initial spin. Bathing costumes should be carried.

The party will meet at the Kowloon pier of the Hongkong-Yau-mat Vehicle Ferry, at 9 a.m.—Contributed.

LAWN BOWLS

Pairs Championship Matches

Three matches in the Lawn Bowls Pairs championship were decided yesterday afternoon.

Playing on the Craigengower Cricket Club green, A. Chapman and J. Fraser defeated E. W. Simmonds and J. Deakin by 23 shots to 16. The winners scored on twelve heads, registering one five and one six, while the losers scored on nine heads, registering one five.

On the Police Recreation Club green, M. J. Medina and A. E. Costes defeated C. H. Basto and J. J. Basto by 35 shots to nine. The winners registered three threes and three fours, while the losers scored on six heads.

N. M. Currie and J. F. Lumy accounted for A. R. Clarke and G. C. Moss by 20 shots to 17 on the Civil Service green. The winners scored on 13 heads and the losers on eight. The League match between the Civil Service and the Police on Saturday was won by the former by three shots and not by nine. A. W. Grimmett's rink defeated E. G. Post's rink by 20-15, and not by 25-15.

FIXTURE CHANGES

K.C.C. Green Unfit For Championship

The Kowloon Cricket Club's lawn bowls green, which was returned during the winter, has not been in (Continued on Page 7.)

NEW TENNIS FIXTURE LIST

(Continued from Page 8.)

K.D.R.C. v P.R.C. K.B.G.C. v C.C.C. C.B.A. v C.S.C.C. S.C.A.A. v R.S.C.

JULY 13TH.

K.C.C. v R.S.C. D.K. v A.T.C. C. de R. v H.K.U.T.C. K.D.R.C. v C.R.C. K.B.G.C. v I.R.C. C.B.A. v P.R.C. S.C.A.A. v C.C.C.

JULY 20TH.

K.C.C. v C.C.C. D.K. v C.S.C.C. C. de R. v R.S.C. K.D.R.C. v A.T.C. K.B.G.C. v H.K.U.T.C. C.B.A. v C.R.C. S.C.A.A. v I.R.C.

JULY 27TH.

K.C.C. v I.R.C. D.K. v P.R.C. C. de R. v C.C.C. K.B.G.C. v R.S.C. C.B.A. v A.T.C. S.C.A.A. v H.K.U.T.C.

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MARRIED FLIRTS

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ly. "Can't tell you how glad I am that you're settled, taken care of. I don't have to worry about you. Tom's a good boy; he'll go far if he's handled right."

"You married young, didn't you, Daddy?"

"Yes, I did. We had a struggle at first—always have had, as a matter of fact. I never was a go-getter. His smile was wry. "But your mother's been fine. She never asked for more than I could give. Not many women like her. And she was used to lots, too."

"Marriage is—funny," Gypsy offered vaguely in the pause. "It's never quite what you think it's going to be."

"Of course not! Of course not. It begins with a party, everybody singing and waving flowers. Pretty soon the boy and girl have to worry about breakfast and rent money. Not the same thing at all. But if they're the right sort they'll come through."

Gypsy patted his hand. Daddy was good. He knew what life was all about. Maybe she was taking the whole thing too seriously.

As she dressed the baby for the homeward trip she thought of her father's words and her heart lightened immensely. Besides, the weeks she had just lived through had given her a new sense of values. The hovering wings of the Black Angel had come close to her. You forget petty things—unimportant things—in that dread shadow.

She and Tom would make a fresh start when she went back to the apartment. She would try to be different; she wouldn't let everything bother her.

Clytie helped her down to the taxi. From the window above she could see her mother waving. Her mother, thin, vibrant, frail.

"Take care of her," Gypsy told the old coloured woman. "Take care of them both."

Clytie said yes, she would. They'd be all right, she told Gypsy. Mist Morell, he was a fine man; praise God they hadn't lost him.

It was a warm, languorous day in May. Shrubs were bursting into bloom all along the wide pleasant streets. The black hedges showed a tracing of green wherever you looked. Gypsy felt a singing in her heart. Maybe it was spring, maybe it was going back to her own man and her own hearth that gave her a sense of fresh beginnings.

"I'm going to be different," she promised. "I'm going to make my marriage go if it's the only thing I ever do in this world."

Back in the embattled city across the river, toward whose towers and minarets the train now hurried itself, a blond girl sat in a shining office and stared out over the roofs.

"I'm mad about him," she muttered to herself as she glimpsed Tom Weaver's profile through the glass partition. "I'm mad about him and I'm going to do something about it."

(To Be Continued.)

You Can't Fool A "Blood Test"

CLAIMS are one thing; proof is another. For two generations the manufacturers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have published letters from people who said they had recovered from weak, nervous, run-down, anemic conditions by the use of these pills. These people were not doctors; their evidence, truthful and authentic as it was, was not proof.

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There is one sure proof of the efficiency of any remedy for thin blood, run-down, tired-out conditions. That is the power of the remedy to build up the haemoglobin content of the blood. Fortunately, modern science can accurately measure this.

In weak, run-down, anemic conditions the haemoglobin content of the blood is always below normal. The modern physician can tell pretty accurately just how much pep, energy and strength you have from the haemoglobin content of your blood. If a blood test shows that your haemoglobin is 40% below normal then your energy, vigour and strength are also approximately 40% below normal.

What Haemoglobin Does

It's the haemoglobin in your blood that carries life-giving oxygen from the lungs and nutrients from the digestive organs to the innermost cells of every organ and tissue of the body. The haemoglobin also clears the system of poisons. A blood stream deficient in haemoglobin fails to properly build up the system and to clear it of poisons. To restore a run-down, anemic person to normal, the haemoglobin must be built up. A remedy that cannot do so is worthless. One that can do so safely, quickly and positively is a valuable medicinal preparation.

To prove the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills arrangements were made with a reputable physician to test a group of typical run-down, anemic patients. Blood tests were taken before the patients were started on a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and again one month later. There were eleven people in the group.

Results of The "Blood Test" of These Patients

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Blood Count Also Increased

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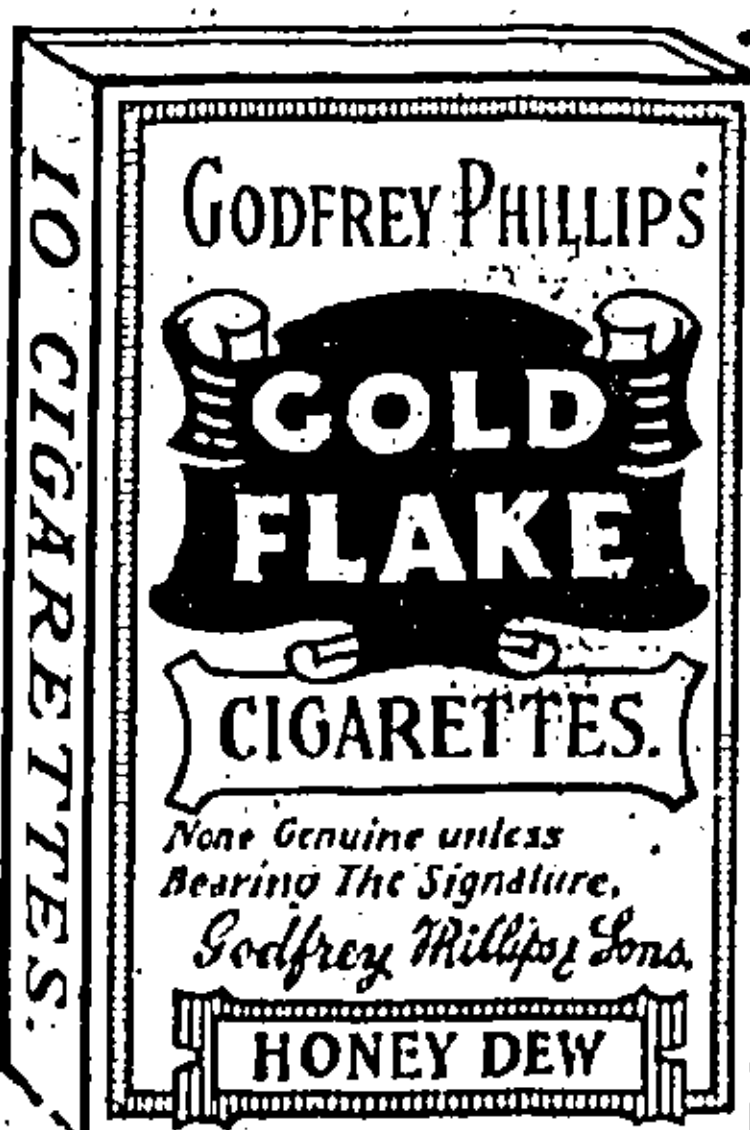
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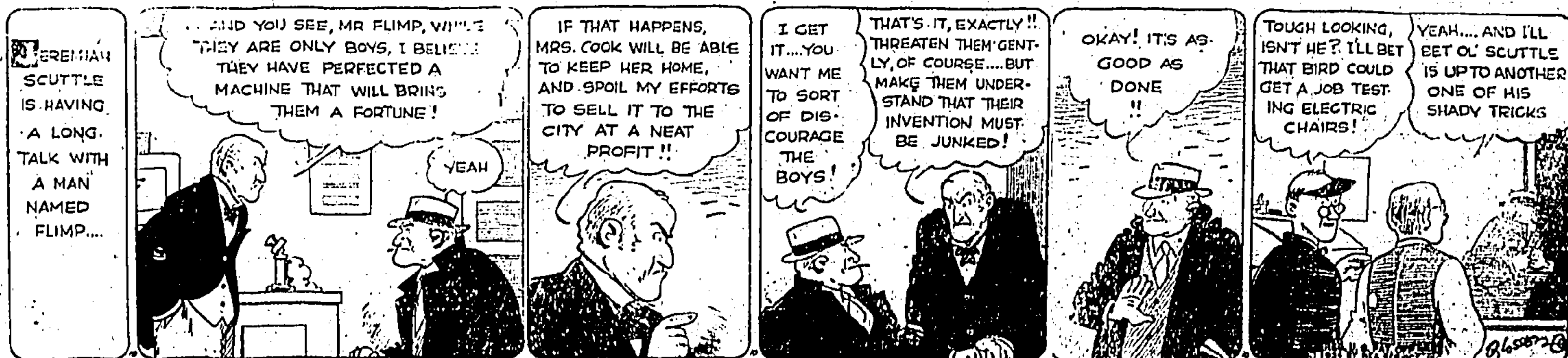
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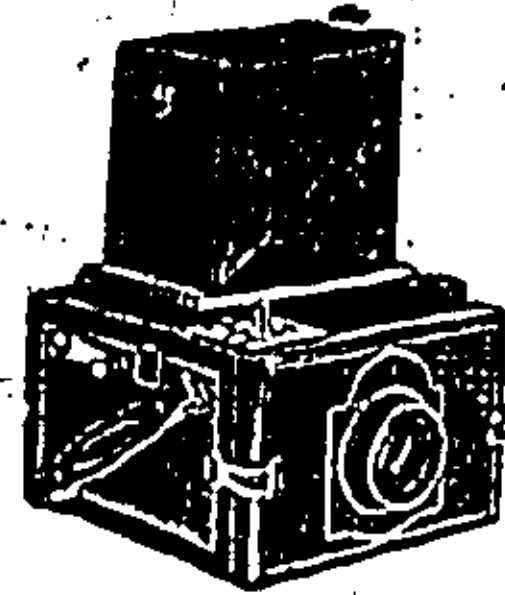
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Brother Masons acted as pallbearers. They were: Messrs. D. Tolan, F. C. Mow, Fung, A. F. Maginnis, W. L. Hume, E. Coulson and J. S. Logan.

Present were Mr. A. Mitchell, the elder son, who was chief mourner; and Messrs. W. S. Bailey, Buchanan, W. E. Kirby (representing the Chinese Const. Officers Guild), L. A. L. da Silva, John Arnold, W. Harris, H. Gittins, T. Barnes, R. Duncan, R. Hall, H. Hong Sling, W. C. Pay, Dr. E. L. de Souza, and Captains A. D. Kelman, W. Peritt, W. W. Walker, Jones, A. Cambell, and many others.

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DISMAL OUTLOOK.

U.S. BUSINESS SLUMP
ANTICIPATED

London, June 25.

The adjournment of Congress has not ended the period of political uncertainty, as much has been left to the discretion of the administration in America, says the monthly review of the Guarantee Trust Corporation.

The failure of Wall Street to react favourably to the adjournment, as expected, is generally attributed to nervousness concerning the appointment of Stock Exchange Commissioners.

The Financial Times says Wall Street now expects share prices to go lower.

The threatened steel workers' strike has caused an accumulation of inventories explaining and upholding industrial activity, and well-informed quarters expect July and August to be poor business months.

The chief problem seems to be unemployment. If the Government continues its present policies it is only a question of time, says the paper, before its credit is strained to the danger point.

On the other hand, if corporation profits bear the unemployment load business will sink and recovery will be delayed.

Business will only contribute to a solution of the problem if the incentive of reasonable profit exists, the paper concludes. At present, therefore, it is not surprising that trade recovery on the whole has been disappointing.—Reuter.

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Several years ago the concerts sponsored by St. Andrew's Church enjoyed immense popularity and, in view of the success which attended one held last night, it is probable that similar concerts will be arranged throughout the summer.

The programme opened with Wilfred Saunders' "Laughing Cavalier," sung by Mr. J. W. E. Bishop, the well-known bass, who drew well merited applause from the large audience attending. Next came the strains of Schubert's "Adagio" from the violin of Mr. E. O. Schroter, and two songs "Rider of the Forest" and "Thy voice is like a Silver Lute" by Mrs. W. H. C. Robson, the local soprano.

The Army Chaplain of mirth, the Rev. N. Lewis Bryan next took the platform and amused all with his humorous selections. He was followed by Mr. G. D'Aquino, the popular baritone of Z.B.W. fame, who rendered "Kashmiri Song" (Woodford-Finden) with Professor H. Ore closing the first half of the programme with a delightful presentation of that famous overture "William Tell."

A request item "Spanish Omelette," presented by Messrs. J. C. M. Grunham and J. J. Ferguson marked the opening of the second half, the other items being "Stonemason John" by Mr. Bishop, Mr. Schroter's violin interpretation of "Air-Varies," humorous selections by the Rev. Lewis Bryan, the song "Sunshine in your Smile" by Mr. D'Aquino, and two piano solos, Chopin's "Revolutionary Study" and the Brahms-Granger, "Cradle Song" by Professor H. Ore. The concluding number was a playette entitled: "The Ministering Angel," the cast for which was William Tillery as Herbert, Fannie June as Mildred, Albert Hall as Dr. Stubbs and Aletha Hirst as Nurse Doodah. Mr. R. Baldwin accompanied.

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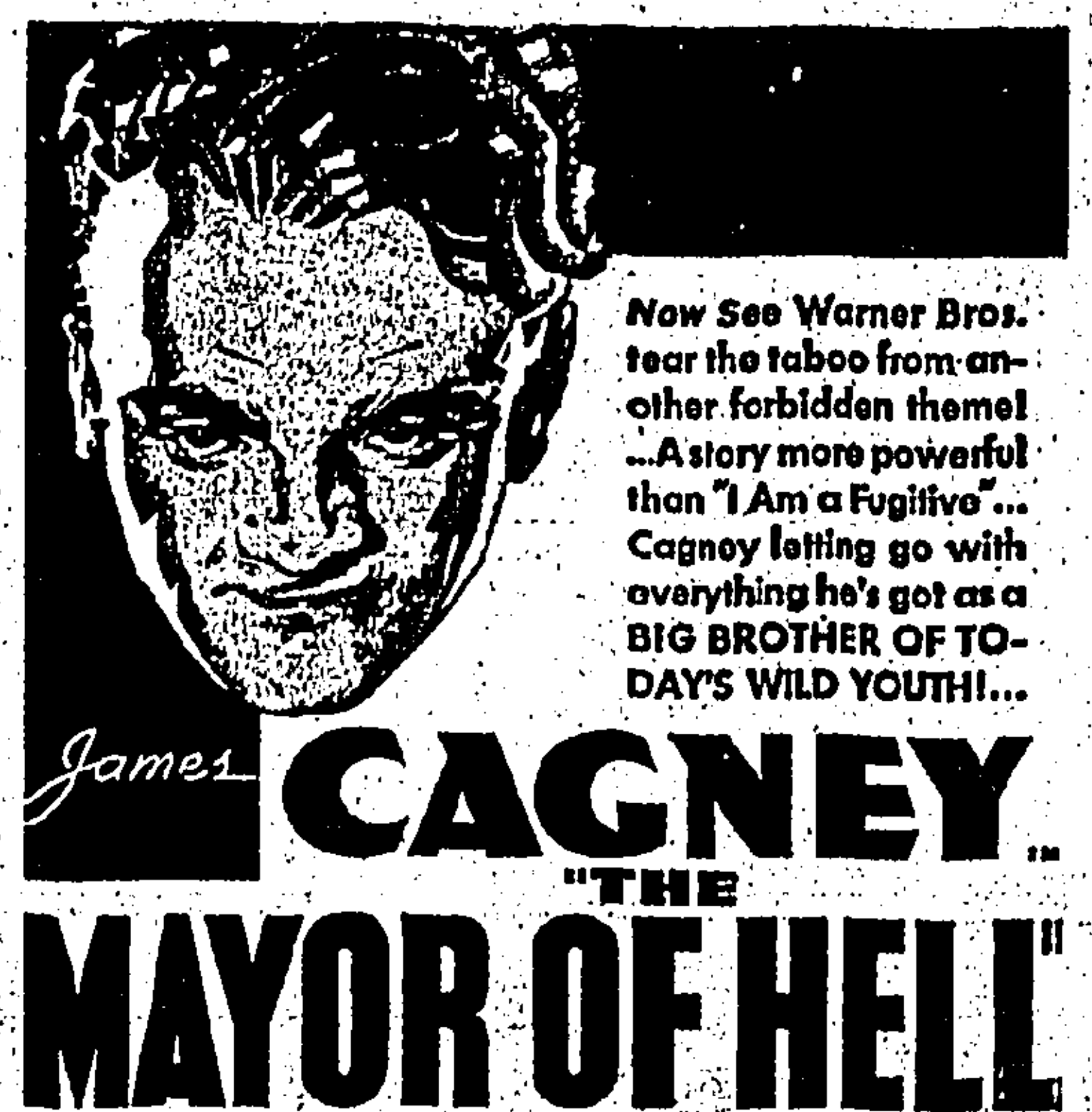
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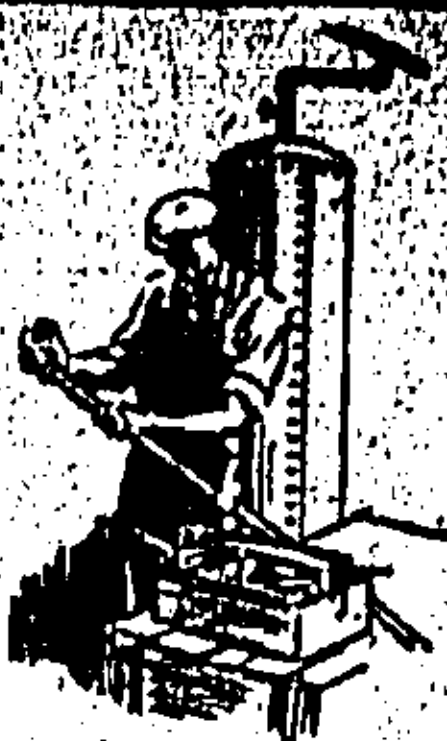
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HEAT WAVE HITS SHANGHAI AND YANGTZE VALLEY

MERCURY SOARS TO 101.5

HOTTEST JUNE DAY ON RECORD

MANY CASES OF PROSTRATION

Shanghai, June 26.
Yesterday was the hottest
June day in Shanghai for
over sixty years. Beyond
that there is no record for
comparison.

The mercury soared to 101.5
degrees Fahrenheit in the shade,
which is the highest registry in
Shanghai since the foundation of
the Sincere Observatory in 1873.

The nearest high record in the
known past was 100.4° in June
1893.

The intense heat caused con-
siderable suffering. Although
many cases of prostration, there
were no serious cases have come to
light.

Thousands of Chinese sought re-
lief in the streets and along the
bund up to a very late hour.

The Observatory is unable to
forecast any relief from the burn-
ing heat to-day.—*Reuter.*

WIDESPREAD SCORCHING.

Shanghai, June 26.
The whole of Central China is
experiencing a scorching heat-wave
with temperatures more than 100
degrees in the shade at nearly all
recording stations. The tempera-
ture in Shanghai was over 101
degrees, slightly higher than that
in Nanking. A number of cases
of prostration have been reported
in both cities.

Messages from Hankow, Chin-
kiang and Hangchow report similar
conditions, and conditions are
particularly severe at Hangchow,
where, with other places in Chin-
kiang a long spell of drought has
added to the sufferings.

Failure of crops in Chekiang and
a large part of Shensi is feared as
rain has been exceptionally scarce
in these particular areas since
early this year.—*Central News.*

FOUR DROWNED IN RIVER MISHAP

MOTOR LAUNCH HITS A ROCK

Canton, June 26.
A motor launch, carrying many
passengers and sundry goods,
struck a rock on Sunday afternoon
in the Chungshan District, four
persons being drowned.

The motor launch was the Shun
Li, plying between Kowloon and
the Shantou District. A big hole
appeared at the bottom of the
ship when the mishap occurred.
But for the efforts of her coxswain
who rushed her as far as possible
towards the shore, enabling pas-
sengers to get within swimming
distance, a more serious disaster
would have occurred.—*Central News.*

MUSSOLINI AND DOLFFUSS

TO SPEND HOLIDAY TOGETHER

Vienna, June 26.
According to the *Reichspost*,
Signor Mussolini has renewed an
invitation to Dr. Dollfuss and his
family to spend their summer
holiday at Riva, where Signor
Mussolini and his family will also
be holiday-making.

The invitation is interpreted by
the *Reichspost* as proof of the
cordial relations between Dollfuss
and Mussolini.—*Reuter.*

BRISTOL MID-AIR COLLISION

Three Flying Officers Killed

London, June 25.
Three R.A.F. flying
officers were killed to-day
in a mid-air collision near
Bristol.

A fourth man escaped by
leaping clear of the
wreckage. He was slightly
injured.

There have been ten fatal
R.A.F. accidents in 1934
with seventeen deaths, but
these figures are well below
the average.—*Reuter.*

CHICAGO ARSON OPERATIONS

SENSATIONAL ARRESTS

ALLEGED GANG CAUGHT

Chicago, June 25.
Britain's great arson trial of a
few months ago is recalled by a
series of dramatic arrests that
have been carried out by the
Chicago police.

The police are now intensively
investigating the ramifications of
the case, involving an alleged
arson gang described as the
biggest criminal ring ever un-
masked.

Twelve persons, including a
woman, are under arrest.
It is believed that this gang,
with numerous assistants, have
been responsible for the majority
of Chicago's most serious fires in
the course of the last three years.

Sixty per cent. of last year's
fires, in which the total damage
and fire losses exceeded \$5,000,000,
are attributed to them.—*Reuter.*

World's Oldest Man Gravely Ill

ZARO AGHA NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

Istanbul, June 25.
The oldest man in the world,
Zaro Agha, is believed to be on
the point of death.

Zaro Agha claims to be more
than 160 years of age and he has
been seriously ill in hospital at
Istanbul for nearly two months.

Very slender hopes are now
held out for his recovery, who is
so gravely ill that his relatives
have been sent for.

His eighty-eight-year-old daugh-
ter, and his eleven-year-old wife,
much younger than his daughter,
are remaining at his bedside.

Only a few weeks ago, he re-
ceived a letter from a 63-year-old
American woman proposing mar-
riage. She was apparently not
aware that he had a wife still
alive.—*Reuter.*

FAIR TO SHOWERY

Pressure is highest over the
Pacific to the east of the Bonins
and is relatively low in a trough
extending from Indo-China across
the Philippines to the Pacific.
A depression is situated to the north
of Shantung. Local forecast:
Moderate easterly or variable
winds; fair to showery.

ROAD CLEARED

The P.W.D. notifies that the
island road from Salwan Gap to
Repulse Bay which has been
blocked, is now clear.

NEAR SNUB FOR MR. SAITO

SMALL SATISFACTION FROM MR. PITTMAN

UNITED STATES AND JAPAN

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Washington, June 25.

It is understood that in
final conversations prior to
his departure for Tokyo,
Mr. Saito received little en-
couragement for his plans
for a new approach to rap-
prochement between the
United States and Japan.

The Japanese Ambassador is
arriving in Tokyo on July 17. He
expects, after consultations with
Mr. Hirota and Prince Saloni,
to leave for Manchuria, and to
proceed afterwards to Shanghai
and possibly to Nanking.
He hopes to return to Wa-
shington by the end of October.
United Press.

MR. PITTMAN BLUNT.

Washington, June 25.

On the eve of his departure
for Japan, Mr. Saito discussed
the question of a non-aggression
pact between the United States
and Japan with Senator Key
Pittman, the chairman of the
Senate Foreign Relations Com-
mittee.

It is understood that Mr. Pit-
tman was inclined to be other
than sympathetic and he is re-
ported to have said that no new
treaties could be considered while
there was any question in regard
to the carrying out of existing
agreements.

JAPANESE CONDUCT.

He is reported to have ex-
pressed, on behalf of the Foreign
Relations Committee, the view-
point of the United States in
reference to the Japanese con-
duct under existing treaties.

Mr. Saito asserted that there
was no intention by Japan of re-
pudiating treaties.—*Reuter.*

PORTUGUESE GIRL MOLESTED

CHINESE BOATMAN SENTENCED

Chan Ngau-ngai, a boatman, was
fined \$50 or one month's hard
labour, by Mr. Hamilton, at the
Central Magistracy this morning,
for having assaulted Miss B. M.
Soures in Ice House Street yester-
day.

The original charge against de-
fendant was indecent assault, but
it was amended as the witnesses
could not remember the date of a
previous assault, which was
alleged to have taken place about
a week ago.

Miss Soures, in evidence, said
that about a week ago, the defend-
ant approached her in Ice House
Street, and whispered something
she could not understand. He also
committed an indecent assault by
touching her. Yesterday, defend-
ant again came up to her in Ice
House Street, and again whispered
something in her ear, and brushed
against her arm.

Miss Beatrice Barros corro-
borated Miss Soures, saying that
defendant deliberately passed be-
tween herself and the complainant.

Defendant admitted having
brushed against complainant, but
said it was not done intentionally.
He did not try to escape.

Mr. Hamilton told defendant it
was lucky the witnesses did not re-
member the date of the previous
occurrence, as otherwise he would
have sentenced him to six months'
hard labour.

Mr. Hamilton also warned defend-
ant about doing this sort of
thing again, because if the com-
plainant's friends caught him
he might be half-killed before he
was brought to Court.



Accompanied by Japanese officials, Mr. Elmer Kuramoto, Japanese vice-consul, whose disappear-
ance for five days in Nanking was responsible for one of the most extensive manhunts in the capital,
is shown, immediately behind the uniformed Japanese police officer, descending the gang-plank at
Hongkew Wharf in Shanghai.

BIG OFFENSIVE COLLAPSES

PARAGUAYAN ARMY IN RETREAT

LA PAZ CLAIM

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New York, June 25.

It is believed here that the
great Paraguayan offensive
in the Gran Chaco, heralded
a few days ago as the proba-
ble decisive battle of the war,
has collapsed.

Claims have been made by
Bolivian military headquarters
that Paraguayans have ceased their
hammer blows at the Bolivian cen-
tre and have broken contact, hav-
ing retired all along the line.

No official statement on the war
position appears to have been
issued from Asuncion, and the
silence is interpreted in some quar-
ters as confirming the Bolivian
claims.

The La Paz official communique
states that 150,000 Paraguayans
have precipitately retreated, aban-
doning their weapons and sup-
plies. The six months' attempt
to capture Bolivian Fort "A" is
claimed, has definitely ended in
failure.—*United Press.*

EDWARDS MYSTERY UNSOLVED

Leave To Assume Death Granted

Shanghai, June 26.
The kidnapping of a British
lighthouse-keeper, Mr. Edwards,
from Breaker Point lighthouse, off
the Fukien coast, two years ago,
has been brought up in the British
Court for China.

The mystery of his fate has
never been solved, but it has long
been presumed that he was killed
by the bandits who kidnapped him,
his wife and four children in
February, 1932.

His wife and children were sub-
sequently released.
On a motion by Mrs. Edwards,
the Court granted leave to depose
that her husband's death occurred
on or after July 31, 1932, for the
purposes of settling the estate.
—*Reuter.*

PLANE DIVES INTO CROWD

Five Killed: Fifteen Injured

Belgrade, June 25.
Two men and three
women were killed to-day
when an aeroplane crashed
among spectators during a
flying display at Belischtche.
Fifteen others were injured.
—*Reuter.*

AUSTRALIA FAILS AT A PINCH

VERITY REVELS IN CONDITIONS

HOT SUN ON WET WICKET

London, June 25.

Typical English weather
played a leading part in the
Second Test match to-day
when England defeated
Australia by an innings and
38 runs.

The Australians, after six weeks
of batting on hard wickets similar
to their own had their first ex-
perience of a pitch made tricky
by a heavy week-end rain and to-
day's hot sun.

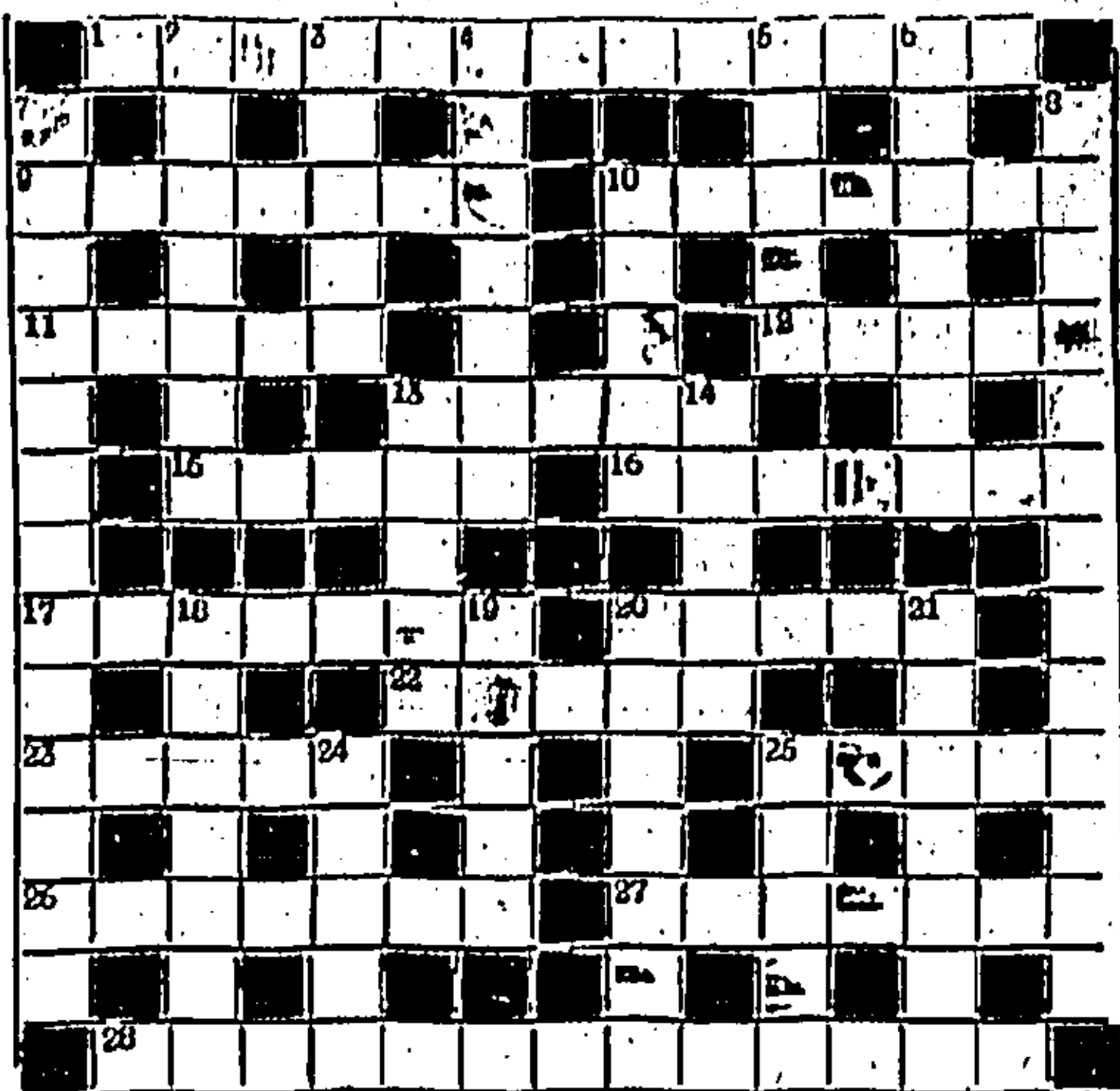
When the day opened, the score
stood England: 440; Australia, 192
for two wickets.

England's slow bowler, Verity,
found the conditions ideal for him
and he soon had the Australians
in trouble.

Their first innings closed for
284, when they required only six
runs to avoid the "Follow on."
Batting again, they were able to
control the new problem and the
whole side was out for 118.

Verity, the prime instrument of
their down-fall, took 7 wickets for
61 runs in their first innings and
eight wickets for 43 in their second
innings. He captured fourteen
wickets to-day for 80 runs and
after the tea interval he took six
of these for 15.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



- Across
- "New piano much" object to this insect (two-word anag.).
 - Silenced.
 - According to the umpire this thing may be in, or out.
 - Birds which raise a sneer.
 - Miss. With an extra letter another miss, perhaps.
 - Pretty nippy.
 - If I got mixed up with such an animal things would, indeed, look blue.
 - Chained (anag.).
 - Hang it! Why lay out the money when we're all inside?
 - Regular stamped led by the piper.
 - Not nice when "Comin'" through the lye" (any farmer will confirm this).
 - A regular jumble.
 - Aerial frolics.
 - Whether painted or not, they're nearly useless.
 - Cry out if you like. I'm sure to be found in the end.
 - Founding.

- Down
- Chanted.
 - Heads—you win.
 - Go below under.
 - Pinch.
 - "And certain stars shot madly from their spheres. To hear the music." ("Midsummer Night's Dream.")
 - Make an ornament from a shell, an emmet and a bin.

- Yesterday's Solution
- A leader of the greatest authority.
 - Olive makes up the material.
 - Past.
 - Cient (anag.).
 - Neither he nor she.
 - Of course, there's nothing new under the sun, but this would be several things.
 - Fusses he does, and moulds they do.
 - Stage direction.
 - This made your grandmother dance.
 - Does the doctor's work, but only half.

There is one thing wrong with the picture and that is all of it. Little children can be taught gratitude in time, but it isn't done this way. And they can be made obliging and obedient too, but it isn't done this way either.

You can't reach a small child through pity because he doesn't actually know what it means. When he is old enough to have this very excellent emotion in sufficient quantity, he will also be old enough to suspect strategy and resent the old chestnut.

A mother I knew well, years ago, resorted to this method. And she boasted, "My son is to be a real son. I am to be his first thought, always." She was. She is.

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THE WORLD OF WOMEN

YOUR CHILDREN.

Love, Co-operation, Not Wiles

By Olive Roberts Barton

"Do it for mama, darling. If you don't, mama cry."

Johnny "does it" once, twice, three times. The next time he stands stanchly and curiously before her and demands, "Gwy!"

She has to change her tactics. The cry gag is no longer useful.

If she is one kind of a mother she forgets it entirely, but if she is of the type that finds the "wistful" method to her taste she is going to hang on to her weapon and use it through life.

So far she has found it rather effectual with others. Her father succumbed to wheedling and her husband to tears. She has found the world patient and sympathetic when she resorted to "It's only poor me, but please do it for my sake."

Fortunately we don't hear it so much any more. Probably every mother tries it once or twice but when a child calls her bluff once, she's through. She laughs and throws the whole business out of the window when Johnny says, "Peek-a-boo, I know you."

But her sister—the one who simply tucks the mask in her pocket and doctors it up for future use. How about her?

Change of Tactics

No, she won't paint tears on it; she may even change it to look like she, one on the other side of the prosenim arch. In the future she may be all smiles and cheeriness.

She changes her plot to read, "Come, Johnny, dear. Do it for mama's sake. Nice mama! Mama who does so many things for you. You love me, such a lot—I just know you do."

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Holding the Children

He never married for obvious reasons. Once or twice he bolted but was coaxed back to the fold. He never made a go of anything because his mother wanted him to go into the wholesale business and he loathed it. She was a widow now and needed him still more, so he said.

He is a failure and he knows it. His "poor mother" is hale, hearty, and happy. She won.

It doesn't do—it never has done. The mother who wants to hold her children will do so through love, sense and friendly co-operation, not by wiles or whines. Most mothers know it now, but in the old days—

THE RIGHT WAY TO APPLY MASCARA

WINKING THROUGH BRUSH'S BRISTLES PERMITS THOROUGH DISTRIBUTION OF DYE ON LASHES



Alice Faye shows the proper technique for applying the make-up.

By Alicia Hart

Mascara is the most flattering of all cosmetics—if it is used sparingly and correctly. "Eyelashes, the nondescript kind, that are light on the ends and really aren't attractive frames for beautiful eyes, take on a new glamour when their natural colour is deepened by the application of a bit of mascara."

Once upon a time actresses were the only ones who used any sort of eye make-up and even they removed it the minute they reached their dressing rooms after the performances were over. Later, mascara and eyeshadow came to be used for formal evening wear and now they are correct on the street, the golf course—any place at all—the only rule being that a

surplus of either isn't becoming and therefore is in bad taste.

Learn to apply your mascara in the new manner. One shouldn't whisk the little brush back and forth across the lashes but it should be held against them while you wink. As you wink, the upper eyelashes are drawn through the bristles and, in that way, each hair is covered from tip to root. Be careful not to get any mascara into your eyes nor to splash it on the lids. However, if a fleck does get on the eyelid, it can be easily removed with a bit of cleansing cream.

There's a new mascara on the market to-day and it really acts as a dye, staying on for many hours. The directions say to put on a small amount, let that dry and then apply another coat. It comes in several shades.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF

Oriental Coiffures Come Into Fashion

By Alicia Hart

The West borrows clothes hints from the East this spring, so hair may go Oriental to match.

When we wore short skirts with belts at the hip line, it was smart to have short, windblown bobs. When skirts came down several inches and waistlines moved up to their normal positions, smart women let their hair grow and buns became fashionable. Now Paris says that our gowns are to be influenced by the Orient and col-

lures must complement the new silhouettes.

Straight hair lends itself best to these new Japanese-inspired styles. But it must be shiny and well-groomed. Brush for ten minutes each night at bedtime and wash once a week. Be sure to use long, upward strokes when brushing. And rinse out all soap when you shampoo. The least trace of suds will dry the scalp and give hair a dull, lusterless appearance.

Now for the Oriental coiffure: Brush your hair straight back from the forehead and upward from the nape of your neck. Arrange in a wide, flat bun and pin securely. Eastern hair dress offers niquant opportunities for evening. Try a jeweled fan or pin in the bun, for instance, or a small gar-

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CHANGE OF TUNE?

NEW GERMAN NOTE ON DEBT OBLIGATIONS

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Berlin, June 25.

A fresh German Note to Britain on the subject of debts and obligations has been handed to the British Ambassador and will probably determine whether or not a trade war will develop out of the dispute.

Despite Mr. Schacht's recent threat, a German Note which was despatched to London to-night, and it is confidently expected it will reveal a conciliatory tone, likely to leave the way for a compromise.

It is believed that the Note asserts that Germany's present plight is mainly due to the burden of reparations and urges that political questions must not be confused with financial problems.

GERMANY'S POSITION.

The Note also reiterates that Germany desires to meet all her obligations in full and when able to do so, Germany is very ready to hear any new proposal by her creditors in the matter of facilitating payment.

Meanwhile, in London, the House of Commons has passed the Debts Clearing Office Bill without a division.

Mr. L. Horne-Belisha, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, winding up the debate, said that the powers under the Bill would be used with moderation.

The deduction, he said, would begin at twenty per cent. and as Germany herself had stated that she intended to continue to pay her debts in marks, exporters' goods ought to receive full payment.

BRITAIN'S LEVER.

If the Reichsbank did not pay British exporters in full that would be tantamount to a further default on the part of Germany.

As long as Germany did not take steps to restrict trade further by artificial methods, there was no reason why the system should not work to the mutual convenience of both sides.

If, on the other hand, Germany took other steps, the Bill armed the British Government with the fullest powers.

TRADE DISLOCATION.

He did not, however, believe that Germany would take steps which would merely result in the dislocation of her own commerce.

The Financial Secretary to the Treasury stated that the United Kingdom's holdings of the Dawes and Young Loans amounted to about £10,000,000 of Dawes and £3,000,000 of Young bonds. The annual service required £1,700,000.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH.

London, June 25.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in the House of Commons to-day, moved the second reading of the Debts Clearing Office and Import Restrictions Bill—a measure to deal with the situation created by the decision of the Reichsbank to suspend for six months, as from July 14, all cash transfers on German long and medium term debts abroad, including the Young and Dawes Loans.

Mr. Chamberlain expressed regret that the Government found themselves bound to introduce this measure, and said there was no doubt that the position of Germany with regard to foreign exchange necessary to discharge her obligations was one of very great difficulties.

GERMANY'S FOOD FAITH DOUBTED.

In the German Note to Great Britain, a great deal of emphasis was laid upon the reduction in the Reichsbank reserve of gold and foreign exchange, and it was said that this reserve had been sacrificed in an effort to maintain payment of German obligations. The fact was that a very great part of this serious diminution in reserve had been due to a device adopted by the Reichsbank, which, in its effect, was equivalent to depreciation of German currency.

Rightly or wrongly, creditors of all countries no longer felt the confidence they had had in the good faith of Germany.

In the British Note, it was made clear that the door was still open for further negotiation, and the German Government were invited to send representatives to London for discussions, in the hope that it might be found possible to avoid using the powers which were sought in the Bill.

HOPE OF ARRANGEMENT.

He was happy to say that this offer had been accepted, and he

MOTORIST FACES TWO CHARGES

HEARING OF CASES ADJOURNED

F. Greyer, of Messrs. Sander, Weller & Co., was summoned before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on two counts of having driven in a dangerous manner in Reginald Bay Road on June 9 at 6.50 p.m., and having failed to drive with due care and caution in Shek-O Road on June 17.

Mr. L. H. V. Booth, Director of Criminal Intelligence, was the complainant in the first summons. Mr. Booth said that he was proceeding along Reginald Bay Road towards Wanchai Gap. There was a stream of about six or seven cars going slowly on the left hand side of the road. There was a blind corner just below the Gap, and defendant suddenly overtook his car, and cut into the stream of traffic. Had another car been coming in the opposite direction, defendant would have had to stop. Witness continued on, and round another blind corner, he saw defendant again overtake the cars in front of him.

Greyer said he could not remember the incident, and the hearing of the summons was accordingly fixed for Thursday afternoon.

On the second summons, Traffic Sergeant Brown said defendant drove at a speed of about 35 miles an hour to the car park, and nearly collided with another car which was being driven out of the car park.

Greyer pleaded that he was not driving on that day. He was playing cards at his home. He had driven the previous day.

Sergeant Brown said he had spoken to defendant at the time. Greyer:—To me on the 17th! It is impossible.

Mr. Hamilton fixed hearing on this summons also for Thursday afternoon, and advised defendant to consult a solicitor, as he could not fully understand the English language.

SPEEDING IN CAINE ROAD.

R. Umuss, of the China Import and Export Company, was summoned for having driven at 30 miles an hour in the controlled area in Caine Road.

Defendant said he may have done 22 miles an hour, but certainly not 30. It was impossible to do 30 miles an hour in Caine Road.

As defendant had no previous conviction, Mr. Hamilton imposed a caution.

Chan Lul-hing, driver of public car No. 533, was fined \$15 for having failed to round a corner on the left hand side of the road. Traffic Inspector Nicol stated that defendant went round the corner near the Ko Shing Theatre on the wrong side, and collided with a bus.

For being in possession of a toy tricycle, Chan Kwong, aged 38, an employee was sentenced to one month by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. It was stated that he was arrested in Shanghai Street, and that he claimed to have bought the tricycle for 20 cents.

Sincerely hoped it might be found still practicable to make some arrangement with the German authorities which would ensure fair treatment for British bondholders and British traders before the 1st. At the same time, the Government could not postpone the request for necessary powers in the hope of a solution which might after all be found impossible, and they asked that the Bill be passed through all its stages, so that, if it should prove necessary, they might have power to put it into force and to see that British nationals were fairly treated.

With regard to the provisions of the Bill, the Chancellor said the Government did not like quotas. They had no present intention of imposing quotas, and they must hope that it would not be necessary to use the powers contained in Clause Two.

NOT CONFINED TO GERMANY.

Although he had spoken only of differences with Germany in this matter, and although in fact it was only urgent difficulties that had caused the Government to introduce the Bill, the clause was not confined to Germany and was drawn in such terms as would enable it to be applied to any other country, if the need arose.

Everybody must be aware that it was not possible to resort to a measure of such a kind without a certain amount of interference in the normal course of trade, and everybody would desire this interference to be limited as far as possible. With a view to the widest and most careful consideration of any difficulties that might from time to time arise in the administration of the powers sought in the Bill, the Chancellor proposed to set up small advisory committee.—British Wireless.

FRAUD ON POST OFFICE

GOODS AS "PRINTED MATTER"

Lo King-yee, unemployed, was convicted by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on two charges of having defrauded the revenue by posting packets marked "printed matter" which in reality contained cotton articles on June 21 and 22. He was fined \$50, or one month's hard labour, on each charge, the sentences to run consecutively.

Mohamed Hassan, a clerk in the Post Office, said that a Chinese clerk had reported to him on June 21 that five packets of newspapers with insufficient stamps had been posted. Witness became suspicious, and opened one of the packets. It contained linen articles. He reported to Mr. T. Hynes, the Superintendent of Mails, and was instructed to keep a watch. On the following day about 3.57 p.m. he saw the defendant come in with a parcel. Defendant looked round to see whether he was being watched, and then put one packet into the post. Witness seized defendant before he could post four other packets. The postage on the packets was two cents each. The proper postage was 15 cents.

Ng Ping-hi, a Chinese clerk, said he had come across such packets on June 15. They were addressed to Shamsui.

Lo Kam-chuen, a postman, said he had come across such packets daily for about a week since June 21.

Mr. Hynes said the printed post was a special form of post. It was marked "printed matter." The price to China was two cents per two ounces. The regulations were that the packets should contain printed matter only, and should be made up in such a way as to be easily examined. He had examined two of these packets at the Post Office, and found they contained cotton articles. The defendant had defrauded the revenue of 60 cents on each packet. On June 21, five packets were brought to him, and another five on the following day. The revenue was being defrauded of \$3.45 every day. The effect of under-stamping would secure safe delivery, because the Chinese Post Office would collect the balance of 28 cents at the other end.

In answer to the charge, defendant said he had been fooled by a man named Leung Chung, who had given him the packets to post. He had only posted the packets on the two dates named, and did not know anything about previous occasions. Leung lived on the West River and whenever he came to Hongkong stayed at a boarding house.

COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

Cotton	June 25	Closing
July	11.94	12.12-12.13
October	12.22	12.40-12.42
December	12.33	12.50-12.51
January	12.38	12.52-12.53
March	12.49	12.63-12.64
May	12.59	12.76-12.77
Spot	12.15	12.35

Chicago Wheat	June 25	Closing
July	92 1/2	90 1/2-90 3/4
September	93 1/2	91 1/2-91 3/4
December	94 1/2	92 1/2-92 3/4

Winnipeg Wheat	June 25	Closing
July	77 1/2	76 1/2-76 3/4
October	79 1/2	78 1/2-78 3/4
December	80 1/2	79 1/2-79 3/4

Silver	June 25	Closing
July	45.40	45.37-45.43
September	45.80	45.69-45.60
December	46.15	45.65-45.65
January	46.35	45.97-45.97
March	46.75	47.20-47.26
May	47.15	47.20-47.26

Total sales	June 25	Closing
1,125,000 ozs	4,725,000 ozs	
(45 contracts)	(180 contracts)	

Changed before—Mr. Macfadyen, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with the theft of a water cock cover from No. 2 Wing Lok Street, the property of the P.W.D., Lo Chun-leung, unemployed, was fined \$10, or two weeks' hard labour.

Leung Lam, unemployed, was sentenced to four months' hard labour by Mr. Macfadyen, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of theft of 20 cents from the person of Kwan On, near the Ko Shing Theatre.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

One of the most startling love themes ever presented on the screen will be unfolded at the Queen's Theatre on Thursday with the showing of the First National picture "Female," with Ruth Chatterton in the stellar role. This story, by Donald Henderson Clark, is not of one love, but of many. It reverses the role of the philanthropic male with Miss Chatterton playing the part of the huntress who casts a cool and calculating eye on the handsome young men she selects for her vampish, nocturnal adventures. These are mostly employees of her own concern, for she is a big business woman who heads an automobile manufacturing plant. She is as ruthless in love as in her financial dealings, for she carelessly casts the young men aside as soon as she tires of them and they try to enter the courtship into the office. As Alison Drake, the business executive, she feels that she is a super-woman who is not bound by the ordinary conventions of the world about her. It is not until she discovers that she is one man who will not succumb to her wiles that she wakes up to the fact that her slant on life is a twisted one. Not in a long while has Ruth Chatterton offered so powerful a portrayal and so moving a drama. George Brent plays the leading role, his fourth time opposite the star. Others in the cast include Lois Wilson, Ruth Donnelly, Ferdinand Gottschalk, and Johnny Mack Brown.

"Four Frightened People"

With the exception of three scenes, which were made in the studio in Hollywood, Cecil B. DeMille's latest Paramount picture, "Four Frightened People," which comes to the King's Theatre on Thursday, was filmed entirely in the wild sections of the island of Hawaii. The company was located two hundred miles by boat from Honolulu. Claudette Colbert, Herbert Marshall, Mary Boland, William Garden and Leo Carrillo head the imposing cast which brings this E. Arnot-Robertson novel to the screen. It was adapted by Bartlett Cormack and Lenore Coffey. The story is about a group of people who are stranded on a remote island, and they are forced to live together in a primitive state. The film is a study in human nature, and it is a masterpiece of the primitive film.

"Riptide"

Having won outstanding triumphs on the screen both in sophisticated and charmingly sweet characterization, Norma Shearer herself, unable to decide which she prefers, her "Divorcee," the first of her sophisticated pictures, won Miss Shearer the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Science award for the most outstanding female performance of the year 1933. "Smilin' Through" her last picture, famous for its simple charm and sweetness, won the Photoplay Gold Medal Award in 1932. Now in "Riptide," her new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, which is showing at the Queen's Theatre, Miss Shearer returns to the sophisticated type of role. "For myself," Miss Shearer says, "I admire roles of sophisticated women, but I believe the majority of motion picture patrons desire heroines for whom they feel a greater sympathy. I would like to continue playing both the sophisticated and sentimentally sweet type of role. Both are interesting from the standpoint of the actress, and also to the audience, especially if all I wish to avoid becoming identified with any one particular type, and perhaps by playing both I shall find a greater variety of characterization awaiting me." Edmund Shearer, who is showing at the Queen's Theatre, is a glamorous, triangular romance with a smart Continental background. Robert Montgomery and Herbert Marshall share leading man honours and the impressive cast includes Mrs. Patrick Campbell, Skeets Gallagher, Ralph Forbes, Tashman, Arthur Garrett, Earl Oxford, Helen Jerome Eddy, George K. Arthur, Baby Marilyn Spinnert, Phyllis Cochran, Howard Chandler and Halliwell Hobbes.

"Bolero"

George Raft has had to go back on the training table. When his screen career started, he thought the grueling routine of the diet table and the exercise room, part and parcel of his life since early youth, were all over. But now, in his latest Paramount film, "Bolero," at the King's Theatre, he is doing again. To be able to interpret the tempestuous rhythms of the "Bolero," in the film, he had to go back into training. Early in his life, he was a prize fighter, and had to keep to 112 pounds. Then came baseball, and the necessity of keeping within 122 pounds. Then, on the stage and in European night clubs, as a dancer, he had to keep within a maximum limit of 130 pounds. When he started his film career, he hovered a sliver of relief at the thought of allowing himself to approach once more his natural weight of 140 pounds. When, however, he won the role in "Bolero," he tightened his belt, cut out starches and sweets and began all the old gym and road exercises.

"Ever in My Heart"

Barbara Stanwyck comes to the Alhambra on Thursday in her latest starring vehicle for Warner Bros., "Ever in My Heart," a picture that calls for the expression of the deepest and most powerful emotions she has ever been called upon to portray. The story by Deulah Marie Dix and Bertram Milhauser combines rare and

LATE CAPT. MITCHELL

FUNERAL AT PROTESTANT CEMETERY YESTERDAY

A large attendance was witnessed at the funeral of (the late) Capt. R. E. Mitchell which was held last evening at the Protestant Cemetery. The Rev. E. L. Allen officiated.

Brother Masons acted as pallbearers. They were Messrs. D. Tolan, F. C. Mow, Fung, A. F. Maginnis, W. L. Hume, E. Coulson and J. S. Logan.

Present were Mr. A. Mitchell, the elder son, who was chief mourner; and Messrs. W. S. Bailey, Buchanan, W. E. Kirby (representing the Chinese Const. Officers Guild), L. A. L. da Silva, John Arnold, W. Harris, H. Gittins, T. Barnes, R. Duncan, R. Hall, H. Hong Sing, W. C. Poy, Dr. E. L. de Souza, and Captains A. D. Kelman, W. Peritt, W. W. Walker, Jones, A. Campbell, and many others.

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beautiful romance with pulsating dramatic action, and tender pathos. It is the story of a New England girl who marries a German professor and whose happy life is broken up when her husband returns to his Fatherland to serve in the army during the World War. Their fight to retain their romance in the face of striking cruelties of relatives and former friends—a brave though hopeless one. The drama becomes more tense as they are torn apart by circumstances they cannot surmount and winds up with a smashing climax when they come face to face in France, where the young wife is a canteen worker and her husband a spy for the German army. It is a far different role from anything which Miss Stanwyck has before been called upon to portray. Gone is the unmoral, gold digger of "Baby Face," "Ladies They Talk About" and "Illlicit." There is an exceptionally strong supporting cast with Otto Kruger, one of the greatest players of the legitimate stage, playing the leading masculine role. Though comparatively new to the screen, Kruger is an accomplished actor and is famous on the Broadway stage for his strong characterizations. Other players, noted on both stage and screen, include Ralph Bellamy, Ruth Donnelly, Laura Hope Crews, Frank Albertson, Clara Blandick, Elizabeth Patterson and Harry Beresford. Archie Mayo directed the picture from the screen play by Milhauser.



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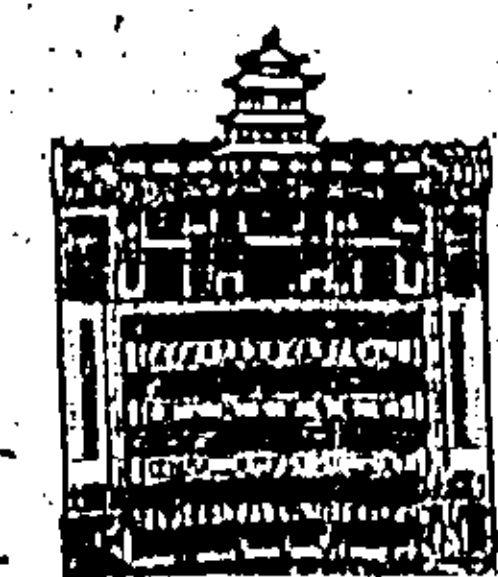
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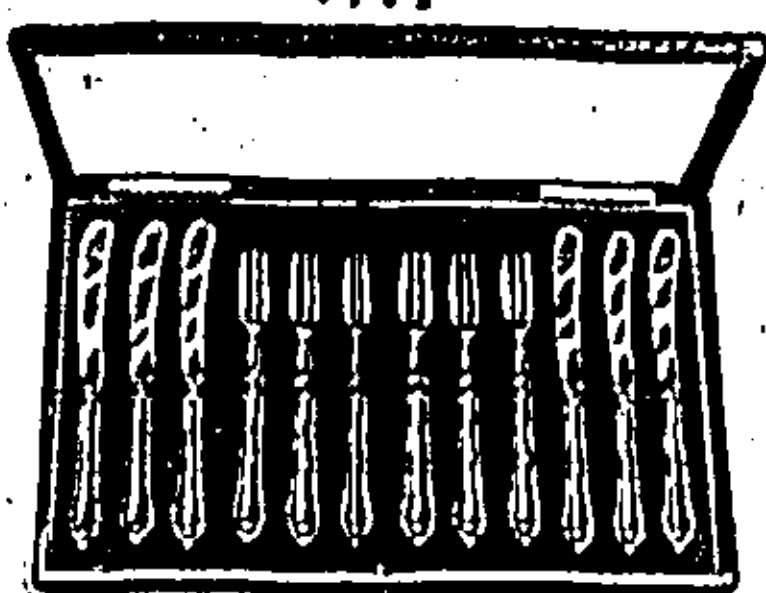
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NAVAL RATIO QUESTION

The more the question of a revision of the existing naval ratio agreements is discussed, the firmer becomes the impression that there are small hopes of any satisfactory solution being reached next year, when another conference is due to be held. Preliminary conversations suggest such widely differing outlooks that the most sensible course would appear to be a postponement of the gathering, accompanied by the preservation of the status quo. Both the Washington and London treaties expire at the end of 1936, a circumstance which makes it necessary to lay down a definite stipulation, if next year's conference is postponed, that there shall be no departure from the existing ratios. One thing is certain, namely, that if the conference meets and results in a breakdown, the upshot will be a new naval armaments race, the end of which would most likely be a fresh war. Rather than incur such a risk, it would be infinitely preferable to continue for the time being on the existing basis. The trouble is that Japan seems indisposed to consent to any postponement; she wants the conference to meet and to demand thereat absolute naval parity with Britain and the United States. Indeed, it has been plainly stated from Tokyo that if Japan is not conceded parity next year, she will embark on an independent naval programme. This stand admittedly complicates the situation, but it should not be beyond the bounds of possibility to reassure the Tokyo Government that no necessity exists for interfering with the existing ratios at the present juncture. After all is said and done, Japan's security is in no wise endangered by the naval policies of any nation. Moreover, she has no such overseas responsibilities as Britain, nor is she in the position of the United States, with two ocean fronts to defend. Japan has, in fact, less cause for anxiety under existing conditions than she would have were an era of unrestricted naval competition to be inaugurated. If her security were placed in jeopardy, there would be every reason why she should press for the holding of the conference, in the hope of improving her position vis-a-vis other nations. But with no such threat imminent, the case for continuing for the time being on the existing basis would appear to be unanswerable.

NOTES OF THE DAY

SILVER PRICES

The announcement that the United States Treasury is in the market for a further thousand million ounces of silver forebodes automatically a steady rise in the price of the white metal. Careful management may prevent spectacular jumps and so much is promised. It is, however, difficult to understand exactly how it is proposed to prevent speculative rises, or even put an effective brake upon it. The U.S. Treasury can only refrain from aggravating the market situation by staying out when the bulls are active and by taking care not to buy too much on a rising market. Doubtless some of the Government was able to turn seller at its own discretion, but such a step would be interpreted as running counter to the ratio policy. In the Silver Act. There may now appear to be some significance in the fact that this statement of policy is mandatory, not permissive.

NATURAL DEVELOPMENT

It matters little, however, what is done; if the announcement is genuine, an increase in price must be a perfectly natural development. The withdrawal to vaults of visible supplies, even by easy stages, must in itself be a bullish factor; and furthermore, the U.S. Treasury must itself be contemplating a steady increase in price. It is nonsense to talk of plans for buying a thousand million ounces or anything like that quantity unless a price rise has been prepared for. Even Mr. Morgenthau has not been guilty of the fiddling mischievous misunderstanding of price trends which a hope of keeping the white metal round its present level would immediately suggest.

PRICE LEVEL

Mr. Morgenthau talks of meeting speculative sky-rocketing with refusal to buy until prices return to a more profitable level. Even the meaning of that is not clear. To whose profit is the level to be arranged? And, how can any level be profitable unless it is possible to sell later for a higher price? At first glance, it sounds like so much playing with words. Doubtless, he means that the Treasury has, in its mind, a level to which it is prepared to see silver go before it thinks of applying four-wheel brakes. What that price is would doubtless be a source of profound interest to a good many people. Sixty-four cents an ounce might prove an excellent guess. That is the price the American Government is already paying for newly-mined silver produced in the United States.

RABIES

The information that two hundred dogs were shot in the Kwai region following the recent discovery there of a rabid dog must evoke satisfaction in circles that have been critical of the police for the manner of its handling of the rabies menace. A few more campaigns on a similar scale should do an enormous amount of good, for it is the type of dog that went to the slaughter at Kwai, most of them practically wild and certainly ownerless, which furnishes both the source and the means of the spread of the dread disease. The best feature of the news, however, is the inference that it marks the end of a defeatist attitude towards the problem of tackling the rabies problem in the district where it really belongs. If the public has that assurance, it will readily co-operate with the police in the urban areas until it is possible to give the "All Clear" signal.

MODERN DRESS

The attack on modern feminine dress at Rosary Church, Kowloon, on Sunday made good newspaper "copy," but it is doubtful whether it will make any impression. The attitude of the average man (and woman) differs markedly from the viewpoint expressed by the preacher. Reactions even to extremes in attire are purely relative. The first appearance of an exaggerated style or daring exposure may provoke a lifting of the eyebrow and a backward glance, but the designs of the "dresses" that drew forth so much eloquence from Father De Angelis, are defeated immediately the fashion becomes general. Chorus girls from the Folies of 1900 would look frumpish and habitues of Mrs. Grundy's salon if they appeared in the streets today. A pleasant explanation of latter-day trends in displays of feminine grace and charms than that offered by the worthy Father is that they are made possible and acceptable by a higher standard in mind and morals among men.

A LOPSIDED CIVILISATION

By C. E. M. JOAD

At last we are alarmed on the subject of liberty. The storm of protest which the Inletment to Disinfection Bill has aroused testifies the fact. In country after country during these last years we have seen liberty eclipsed. It has been voluntarily surrendered by the peoples or forcibly filched by the Governments.

In these countries no citizen can read what he pleases, write what he pleases, or say what he pleases, unless what he pleases is also what the Government pleases. Governments, in fact, are absolute and irresponsible; the Press is their mouthpiece, education their propaganda, history their apologist, the arts their echo. And these changes have been effected in Germany within the short space of 16 months.

We in England have so long taken liberty for granted that it is hard for us to believe that we must fight for its preservation, hard to realise that Mill was right when he said that the price of it was perpetual vigilance. But we are at last beginning to awake to these things. It is to this newly-awakened public opinion that I wish to suggest a new danger to liberty, and to suggest, too, how it can be met.

There is no feature of our modern civilisation more characteristic than its lopsidedness. It is lopsided because of the disparity between our mechanical skill and scientific knowledge on the one hand and our political and social wisdom on the other, between our power over nature and the use to which we put it. Science has given us knowledge fit for the gods and we bring to its use the mentality of schoolboys.

It is this lopsidedness which is responsible for most of those features of our civilisation which, for all their familiarity, it is so difficult to take for granted. For the paradox of want in the midst of plenty—we have not the social wisdom to distribute what science enables us so abundantly to produce. For the threatened destruction of our civilisation in the next war—science has made us so dangerous to one another that we can no longer afford to allow our international relations to be guided by the ethics of the jungle and informed by the mischievousness of the nursery.

For the mechanised use of leisure—possessing in an unprecedented degree the means to the good life, we have yet to learn the art of living it; and for the alarming contrast between the development of the means for reaching and moulding the minds of men and the comparative lack of an equivalent development in the minds so reached and moulded.

And the danger to liberty, briefly, is that, while science has given men the power of controlling other men's minds, it has not yet succeeded in rendering men's minds proof against control. In consequence they are the prey of whatever influences may be able to purchase control of the avenues for the formation of public opinion.

The new instruments which science has forged for the control of men's minds constitute one of the most serious dangers to liberty. Just as the advance of science has concentrated effective military power into fewer and fewer hands,

rendering more numbers impotent against the tank, the bomber and the machinegun, so it has concentrated the power of opinion in the hands of those who control the Press, the wireless and the cinema.

When Hitler in March of this year announced his programme for spending £70,000,000 on public works to reduce unemployment in Germany, his speech was relayed over the wireless to 19,500 meetings of the unemployed. It is estimated that at these meetings no fewer than 3,000,000 people heard the "leader."

It is difficult to exaggerate the importance of this new power or the menace which it constitutes to freedom of thought. It enables the dictators of the modern world to aim quite deliberately at the formation of men's minds. It is well for a dictatorship that all citizens should think alike; hence the deliberate cultivation of uniformity; but it is even better that their unanimous thoughts should be those of their rulers. Hence, in Germany a system of education which seeks to make citizens the mirrors of the State.

How can citizens be protected against these influences? There is one way and one only. The way of education. Democracy has reached a stage in its development when its survival depends upon its ability to develop and to train the intelligence and the Communist States are seeking to produce citizens with minds that mirror their Governments, democracy should and does seek to train citizens with minds of their own. Hence, while its rivals rely upon propaganda, democracy must put its trust in education. Moreover, since it depends upon and presupposes the existence of an alert and instructed body of citizens, able and anxious to pronounce a free and independent judgment upon public affairs, it must go farther and educate its members deliberately for citizenship.

An education designed to fulfil this object will include teaching in geography, civics (structure of government, local, national and international), current history—in my time all the history books stopped at 1815, many of them still do, but none goes beyond 1914—politics, and economics. And it would be not only to the secondary school boy or girl but also to primary schoolchildren in their last year or years at school that this education would be given. (That the school-leaving age should be raised at least to 16 must, I think, be assumed as a matter of course.)

I should myself add instruction in the art of newspaper-reading, wireless-listening; and attendance at meetings, instruction which aimed at inculcating scepticism and inoculating the citizen against appeals to mass emotion. For the primary intention of education for citizenship is not so much to impart information as to create intelligence, that it may endow the citizens of democracy with a critical sense which will render them immune from the manipulators of opinion whom the inventions of science have endowed with a new power over men's minds.

Whilst dictatorship has everything to fear, democracy alone has everything to gain from the intelligence of its citizens.

The Very Idea!

MADGE CATCHES
ONE

By George

"THE GOLDEN CANDAREEN."

Tenth Instalment

MADGE caught him. As Jeejeebhoy took his flying leap at her, Madge opened her great arms and caught him as if he were a child.

"My little one," she cooed and kissed him soundly under the left ear.

Then she held him at arm's length to take in so full manly beauty of her big friend.

Jeejeebhoy squirmed a little under her piercing eye.

"Lemme down," he pined, kicking his legs vainly. Snuggling Madge found that he had brilliantine on his hair after he ordered him to cultivate his hair in curls.

Madge laughed hoarsely. Her voice always went early in these scenes. "You haven't kissed me yet!" she exclaimed.

Holding his breath, Jeejeebhoy bent nearer to her. As his eye passed critically over the rugged lines of her face he looked over her shoulder and gave a loud cry of horror.

Why did Jeejeebhoy give a loud cry of horror? Does he see what's coming to him on Thursday when we are killing him off, or is this just a gag to get out of kissing Madge? Only we know and we aren't saying anything till to-morrow. He may just have seen a bit of the amah's ear on the door—a little thing like that would turn Reg's gorgo as we have given him a weak stomach since our last instalment—or he may have found out that Madge is a secret drinker! You will remember that she had a swig just after she saw the shadow. She had no time to put the bottle in her back pocket along with her chopper and powder box and Johnny Walker is still there—a silent but potent witness of her vice. Will Johnny speak to-morrow?

CHIT-CHAT

Burns and Allen who appear in Paramount's "We're Not Dressing," which is showing here, admit writing all of their own radio and screen material.—From a local criticism.

"Plead guilty" would be a better way of putting it.

"British Embassy, Tokyo, and Miss—" whose wedding has taken place.

"It's not often a girl gets the chance of marrying a whole Embassy, but a dropped line will perform miracles.

"A peculiar accident was that in which a coolie fell off a P.W.D. lorry. This is the second time that a coolie has fallen off a P.W.D. lorry within the last few years."

We wonder whether the writer expects the lorry to fall off the coolie?

Remarkable thing how many more Australians there were in the Colony after the result of the first Test. People whom you had felt sure came from the right country took the trouble to point out that they considered themselves Australians by birth, accident, or some such cause.

The real test will be explaining this away after the final match.

At least we hope it will or if we will find raising \$10 the real test.

Another sea monster has been seen, this time near Castle Peak. Fishermen describe it as "having a big, bald head, large green eyes and a pointed snout."

If my eyes were green and if I had been bathing near Castle Peak last week, I should have begun an action for libel against the newspaper which published this.



"I always said I'd never do this kind of work for any man."

HOW THE AUSTRALIANS COLLAPSED

HOPELESS ON WET WICKET

AT MERCY OF VERITY

MANY ERRORS BY BATSMEN

London, June 25. His Majesty the King was present at Lord's this morning when an exceptionally large crowd attended the third day's play in the Test Match. The sides were overcast and there was a successful appeal on account of the bad light at the opening, but the day was very brief as the weather showed signs of improving and the sun appeared. The pitch was tricky following week-end rains and the batsmen were early in difficulties. The English bowlers, Bowes and Verity were particularly dangerous.

After four wickets had fallen in rapid succession during the first hour, play was suspended while the players were presented to the King. The Australian first innings score was 192 for two when Brown, 103 and McCabe, 24 resumed. England had scored 440 in her first innings. *British Wireless.*

PROGRESS OF MATCH.

Following the rain over the week-end the pitch was very tricky and W. A. Brown and S. J. McCabe, carrying on their innings which had brought Australia to a sound position, were helpless.

Brown was the first to go. He smacked a ball from Bowes and Ames, standing well back, took it gracefully. Brown had scored just five over his century, and his brilliant innings included fourteen fours. He batted for 105 minutes, but was able to add only two runs to his earlier score before he was dismissed. 203-3-105.

SUDDEN COLLAPSE.

It was apparent that the wicket would play havoc with the batsmen by this time.

L. S. Darling, who joined McCabe, went out for a duck. He gave a dolly catch to Sutcliffe at short, fine leg, off Verity's bowling. 204-4-0.

With one more run added McCabe went back to the pavilion.

McCabe's place was shaken by the pitch. Gone was his early nonchalance. He had added only ten runs to his overnight total of 24 when he was caught by Hammond playing short, second slip, off an up-hopping ball from Verity. 205-5-34.

WICKETS FALL STEADILY.

Chipperfield had scored 32 when he lost his partner. Bromley who was caught by Verity at short fine leg off Verity. 216-6-4.

Oldfield was caught by Sutcliffe at second slip off Verity with his score at 23. He put up a valuable stand for forty minutes. 258-7-23.

Grimmett was bowled by Bowes when he hit the stumps, the eighth wicket falling for 273 runs. 273-8-9.

Before lunch Verity was almost unplayable.

The players were presented to His Majesty the King, who chatted with Woodfull, Bradman, Oldfield and Wyatt, while the crowd banded cheered enthusiastically.

The lunch time score saw Australia with 273 runs for eight wickets.

FIGHT TO AVERT FOLLOW ON.

After lunch there was an exciting struggle to avoid the follow on. Chipperfield, who had scored 37 in a stolid display for 130 minutes was joined by O'Reilly, but soon lost his partner who was bowled by Verity for four. The ninth wicket falling for 284 runs. 284-9-4.

Wall the next man in was leg before wicket to Verity for a blob. The innings thus terminated at 284. Ames conceded ten extras. The whole innings had lasted 325 minutes. Chipperfield was undefeated with 37.

VERITY'S INSPIRED SPELL.

Verity with his spinning, uprising deliveries finished the innings with the splendid figures of 22 overs, nine maidens, 37 runs, 6 wickets. His final analysis was seven wickets for 61 runs. Farnes conceded 43 runs without success; Bowes captured three wickets for 98 runs; Garry conceded 56 runs for no wickets, Hammond six runs for no wickets and Leyland ten for no wickets.

In the short space of time left before tea, Australia was sent in to bat again, needing 150 runs to avoid an innings defeat, and had scored 74 runs for the loss of three wickets when tea was taken.

VERITY AGAIN SHINES.

Woodfull and Brown went out to open Australia's second innings before tea, having failed to avert the follow-on.

Woodfull as usual was stolid, and took no chances. He scored with well timed shots to the leg. Brown was the first to leave being caught by Walters at long leg, when he tried to pull Bowes to the boundary. His contribution was two. The first wicket fell with the score at ten. 10-1-2.

Although the wicket was drying out, Verity still very dangerous, and was troubling the batsmen a great deal.

McCabe joined Woodfull, but was out to a poor shot, being caught by Hendren fielding at silly mid-off. The bowler was Verity. McCabe had scored 19. 40-2-2.



A stirring finish that brought a colourful crowd of 15,000 fans to their feet is pictured here, as Mrs. Dodge Sloan's four-year-old Okapi (extreme right) surged ahead of Kawagoe and Sgt. Byrne to win the 41st running of the Toboggan Handicap at the Belmont Park (Long Island) spring opening. The triumph, Okapi's second in as many years, earned \$3250.

TENNIS IS BECOMING TOO FAST

NEW BALL PREVENTS PLAYERS FROM CONTROLLING THEIR SHOTS

(By Stanley N. Doubt.)

The International Lawn Tennis Federation has insisted on players all over the world a harder lawn tennis ball. The idea is to speed up the game.

The proposal came from the United States and, I understand, was approved by the federated countries with very little discussion.

It is only three years ago since the ball was increased in hardness, but it is doubtful if lawn tennis has actually increased in speed on that account. But the players put up with it and, generally speaking, I do not think the quality of lawn tennis has depreciated. Nor do I think it has improved.

But the 1931 ball is so hard that the players find it almost impossible to control with tightly strung rackets. There is not enough deformation of "give" to allow the feel of the ball in the racket, and merely to hit hard is like playing the ball with a piece of wood.

PLAYERS IGNORED.

In consequence the players are aggrieved that they had not been consulted before the change was made. They had become accustomed to the ball adopted three years ago, which they could play with a very tightly strung racket. To-day to get the same control they have had to alter the tension of the strings.

It is strange that the other nations affiliated to the federation should enter so wholeheartedly with the United States in the change for faster lawn tennis. Theoretically such a scheme was all in favour of the American players, whose services were readily enough with the supposedly slower ball.

The faster ball put on the market three years ago acted like a boomerang on the American players, as the results of the Davis Cup, the Wimbledon championships of last year, and their own national championships proved.

BRADMAN'S UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

Bradman then joined Woodfull, who was keeping up his end very well, presenting a stolid face to the bowling. In trying to pull Verity to the leg, however, Bradman mistimed one of Verity's spinners, and offered an easy catch to Ames behind the wicket, which was accepted. Bradman's score was 13. 57-3-13.

Darling was associated with Woodfull when the ten interval was taken, the score being 74 for three wickets. The pair had put on 17 runs, Darling's contribution being nine, and Woodfull's 28.

FIVE WICKETS FOR ONE.

Woodfull was the first to go, caught by Hammond in second slips, off Verity, after he had scored a useful 43 in a fighting innings of two hours. 94-4-13.

Darling was clean bowled by Hammond who uprooted his off stump when he had scored ten, and before another run could be added after Woodfull's departure. 94-5-10.

The next wicket cost one run. Bromley attempted a big hit and mistimed the swing. He was caught and bowled by Verity. 95-6-1.

Then came Oldfield and Grimmett. Both were out without a score, and Australia had lost five wickets for the astounding total of one run!

Oldfield was bowled by Verity. 95-7-0.

Grimmett was taken in short slips by Hammond, with a beautiful left-handed catch, off Verity. 96-8-0.

Chipperfield, meanwhile, had been trying his hardest to stop the rot, but he was caught by Garry, low down, in first slip, off Verity, when he had scored 14. 112-9-14.

Wall and O'Reilly were together when the end came, the latter being caught by Hendren off Verity.

Verity had the remarkable average of 9.3 overs, four maidens, fifteen runs and six wickets, after tea. Three wickets fell to him in one over.

LAWN BOWLS

Pairs Championship Matches

Three matches in the Lawn Bowls Pairs championship were decided yesterday afternoon.

Playing on the Craigengower Cricket Club green, A. Chapman and J. Fraser defeated E. W. Simmonds and J. Deakin by 23 shots to 16. The winners scored on twelve heads, registering one five and one six, while the losers scored on nine heads, registering one five.

On the Police Recreation Club green, M. J. Medina and A. E. Cona defeated C. H. Basto and J. J. Basto by 35 shots to nine. The winners registered three threes and three fours, while the losers scored on six heads.

N. M. Currie and J. F. Lunny accounted for A. R. Clarke and G. C. Moss by 20 shots to 17 on the Civil Service green. The winners scored on 18 heads and the losers on eight.

The League match between the Civil Service and the Police on Saturday was won by the former by three shots and not by nine. A. W. Grimmett's rink defeated E. G. Post's rink by 20-15, and not by 26-15.

NEW TENNIS FIXTURE LIST

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K.D.R.C. v P.R.C. K.B.G.C. v C.C.C. C.B.A. v C.S.C.C. S.C.A.A. v R.S.C.

JULY 15TH.

K.C.C. v R.S.C. D.K. v A.T.C. C. de R. v H.K.U.T.C. K.D.R.C. v C.R.C. K.B.G.C. v I.R.C. C.B.A. v P.R.C. S.C.A.A. v C.C.C.

JULY 20TH.

K.G.C. v C.C.C. D.K. v C.S.C.C. C. de R. v R.S.C. K.D.R.C. v A.T.C. K.B.G.C. v H.K.U.T.C. C.B.A. v C.R.C. S.C.A.A. v I.R.C.

JULY 27TH.

K.G.C. v I.R.C. D.K. v P.R.C. C. de R. v C.C.C. K.B.G.C. v R.S.C. C.B.A. v A.T.C. S.C.A.A. v H.K.U.T.C.

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MARRIED FLIRTS

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ly. "Can't tell you how glad I am that you're settled, taken care of. I don't have to worry about you. Tom's a good boy; he'll go far if he's handled right."

"You married young, didn't you, Daddy?"

"Yes, I did. We had a struggle at first—always have had, as a matter of fact. I never was a go-getter. His smile was wry. "But your mother's been fine. She never asked for more than I could give. Not many women like her. And she was used to lots, too."

"Marriage is—funny." Gypsy offered vaguely in the pause. "It's never quite what you think it's going to be."

"Of course not! Of course not. It begins with a party, everybody singing and throwing flowers. Pretty soon the boy and girl have to worry about beefsteak and rent money. Not the same thing at all. But if they're the right sort they'll come through."

Gypsy patted his hand. Daddy was good. He knew what life was all about. Maybe she was taking the whole thing too seriously.

As she dressed the baby for the homeward trip she thought of her father's words and her heart lightened immensely. Besides, the weeks she had just lived, through had given her a new sense of values. The hovering wings of the Black Angel had come close to her. You forget petty things—unimportant things—in that dread shadow.

She and Tom would make a fresh start when she went back to the apartment. She would try to be different; she wouldn't let everything bother her.

Clytie helped her down to the taxi. From the window above she could see her mother waving. Her mother, thin, vibrant, frail.

"Take care of her," Gypsy told the old coloured woman. "Take care of them both."

Clytie said yes, she would. They'd be all right, she told Gypsy. Miss Morrell, he was a fine man; praise God he hadn't lost him.

It was a warm, languorous day in May. Shrubs were bursting into bloom all along the wide pleasant streets. The black hedges showed a tracing of green wherever you looked. Gypsy felt a singing in her heart. Maybe it was spring, maybe it was going back to her own man and her own hearth that gave her a sense of fresh beginnings.

"I'm going to be different," she promised. "I'm going to make my marriage go if it's the only thing I ever do in this world."

Back in the embattled city across the river, toward whose towers and minarets the train now hurried itself, a blond girl sat in a shining office and stared out over the roofs. "I'm mad about him," she muttered to herself as she glimpsed Tom Wenter's profile through the glass partition. "I'm mad about him and I'm going to do something about it."

(To Be Continued.)

You Can't Fool A "Blood Test"

CLAIMS are one thing; proof is another. For two generations the manufacturers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have published letters from people who said they had recovered from weak, nervous, run-down, anemic conditions by the use of these pills. These people were not doctors; their evidence, truthful and authentic as it was, was not proof.

One Sure Test of Any "Blood" Remedy.

There is one sure proof of the efficiency of any remedy for thin blood, run-down, tired-out conditions. That is the power of the remedy to build up the haemoglobin content of the blood. Fortunately, modern science can accurately measure this.

In weak, run-down, anemic conditions the haemoglobin content of the blood is always below normal. The modern physician can tell pretty accurately just how much pep, energy and strength you have from the haemoglobin content of your blood. If a blood test shows that your haemoglobin is 40% below normal then your energy, vigour and strength are also approximately 40% below normal.

What Haemoglobin Does

It's the haemoglobin in your blood that carries life-giving oxygen from the lungs and nutrients from the digestive organs to the innermost cells of every organ and tissue of the body. The haemoglobin also cleans the system of poisons. A blood stream deficient in haemoglobin fails to properly build up the system and to clear it of poisons. To restore a run-down, anemic person to normal, the haemoglobin must be built up. A remedy that cannot do so is worthless. One that can do so safely, quickly and positively is a valuable medicinal preparation.

To prove the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills arrangements were made with a reputable physician to test a group of typical run-down, anemic patients. Blood tests were taken before the patients were started on a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and again one month later. There were eleven people in the group.

Results of The "Blood Test" of These Patients

Ten patients in the group increased their haemoglobin in the first month as follows: 6%—7%—11% (two)—13%—15%—17%—20%—22%—24%. These tests furnished absolute proof of the efficiency of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in building haemoglobin. The results, as a whole, being considered remarkable, particularly those showing increases of 20%, 22% and 24% in one month.

WELCOME RAIN.

LIGHT GALE IN ENGLAND
London, June 25.
The long-awaited rain fell during the week-end, although it has

Only one patient of this group failed to increase her haemoglobin at the end of the month. An X-ray examination showed that two dead teeth were infecting the blood stream and nullifying the action of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After the teeth were removed, the patient continued with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and increased her haemoglobin content by 21% in two months—a remarkable improvement.

Blood Count Also Increased

In addition to increasing the haemoglobin, the blood test also showed that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had increased the number of red blood corpuscles in every case where the count was below normal. As the red corpuscles are the carriers of haemoglobin, it can readily be understood that if the blood count is low, the body cells are being starved of haemoglobin and therefore also starved of oxygen, iron and nutrients. By increasing both the number of red corpuscles and the haemoglobin, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had increased the supplies of oxygen, iron and nutrients carried to the body cells, and built up the systems of these patients.

"Pep," Vigour, Strength Increased

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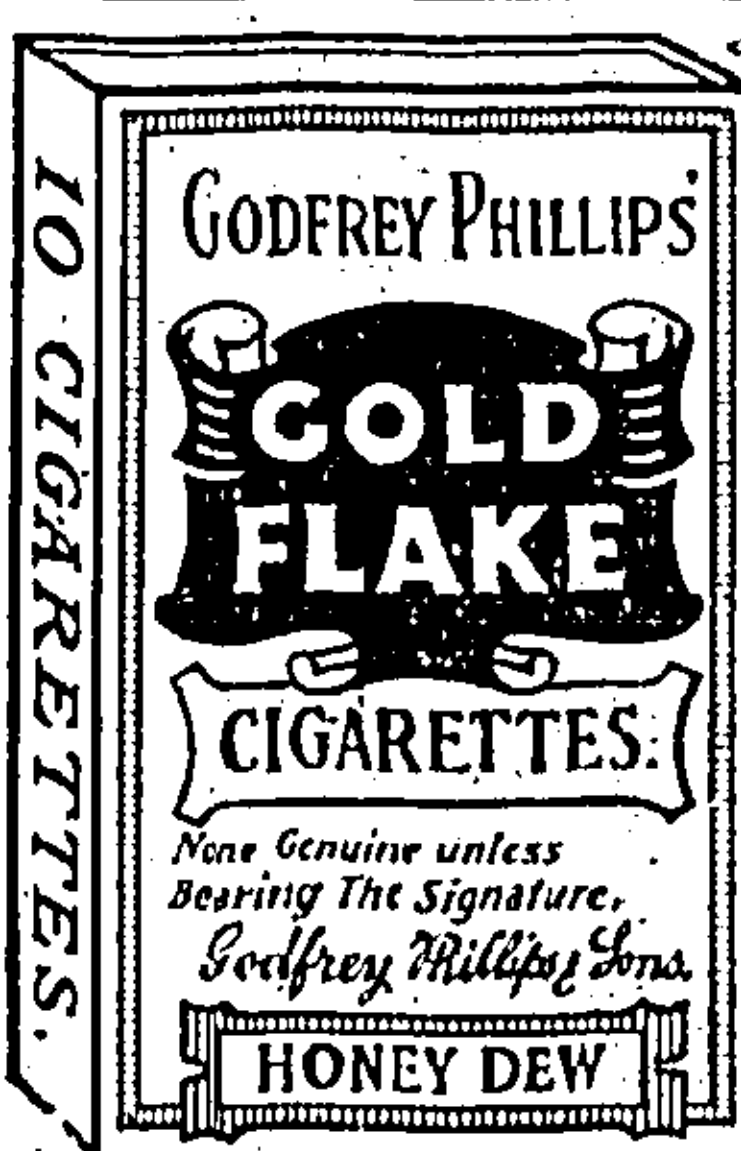
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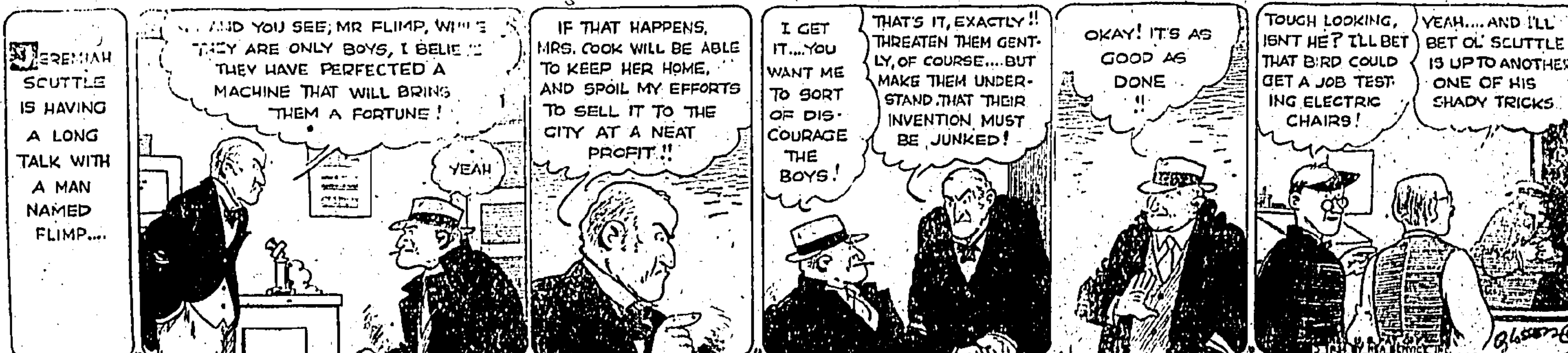
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CHAPTER XXXV

No one met Tom Weaver at the station that night. He swung up the steep street away from the station, a frown creasing his brow. Of course he hadn't expected Gypsy to come, but he did fear the news that might greet him at the big house in Upper Dean street.

The spring twilight was full of pleasant sounds. Birds shrilled in the budding trees and children played in the hedged yards, mad with release after the long winter. Supper smells drifted in the crisp air. And in a quiet room a man lay dying.

The nurse came and went. The doctors touched and looked and shook their heads. And the wife, white and stubborn, refused to accept their verdict. As Tom came into the hall he heard Mrs. Morrell saying in a clear voice, "It's all nonsense. I tell you, he's going to get well."

Her eyes, Tom thought, were unnaturally bright and her colour feverish. Gypsy, in the background, looked white and strained. He went to kiss her and she said quietly, "We can't do a thing with her. She's angry with us all . . . Maybe she's right, Tom thought. Maybe she knows better than the rest. But after he had talked to Dr. Bannerman he became imbued with a sense of hopelessness. Death struck at you in such a cruel way. It made life naked, terrifying.

The long night began to wheel by. The patient was surprising them all with his vitality. He was clinging stubbornly to life although he had not as yet opened his eyes. Mrs. Morrell refused to go to bed. She looked at them with scorn when they suggested it. "Sleep!" she said with bright,

contemptuous eyes. "Why, I want to be here when he wakes."

Gypsy's fearful eyes sought Tom's. When he woke indeed! Tom played patience—he had to do something. The atmosphere of the house was oppressive. Dread made the undercurrent and the low voices were surcharged with it. Gypsy could not sit still. She kept getting up and going to the door, as though there was something she could do. The baby had long since been tucked into his crib.

It was 10—it was 11. Suddenly they heard the nurse's running feet above. Tom vaulted the stairs. The tall night nurse, shaken out of her professional composure, stared down at him. "I—I think he's going," she said. "Will someone call the doctor?"

Gypsy had heard. She was on the step below. Her dark eyes were enormous. "I'll call him," she said, frozen. "You look after Mother."

They were all in the room now. The solitary light burned dimly under its extra shade. The patient was conscious now after the long spell of silence. He tossed and muttered on his pillow. His thin hands plucked at the coverlet.

It seemed hours, although it was actually only a matter of minutes, before the doctor came. A doctor, Gypsy thought, was a little like God; you expected too much of him. He bustled into the room, tall and stooped and beginning to be a little portly, his eyeglasses dangling from a thin chain.

He put an exploring hand on Harvey Morrell's wrist. He bent down, the stethoscope adjusted, and assumed the listening look. He straightened and his eyes sought those of the nurse. "When did the change come?"

"Ten minutes ago, doctor."

"Ah!" "Why don't they do something, Gypsy thought wildly! Why do they stand calmly around? What good are they? She was grateful for Tom's nervousness. It was something to hold to in this terrible hour.

The doctor turned to Mrs. Morrell. Was it possible that his worn face showed encouragement? He said, very low, "You've been a good soldier, Louise. I think perhaps you've kept him here. . . . You mean . . . ?" She pressed her handkerchief to her lips. "Don't give me too much hope, Doctor."

"I'm not sure," he told them all slowly. "But I think he's taken a turn for the better. . . ."

It was a long, slow struggle, that convalescence. Gypsy and Tom moved back to the apartment in the middle of the second week to take up their own problems again. By that time Harvey Morrell was sitting up, propped by pillows, in the big four poster. The morning before she went back to the city Gypsy had a talk with her father. The nurse had left the day before and Gypsy had brought him up his midmorning cup of broth. All the windows were opened wide this morning to the bright spring sunshine. The curtains moved fitfully and just below the sill at Gypsy's elbow an old gnarled lilac bush had burst unexpectedly into blossom. "Grand day!"

Her father nodded, his dark face smiling. "You're leaving?"

"This afternoon," she told him. "It will be less work all around. I feel I can safely trust you to Mother." They shared an ancient

joke to the effect that Gypsy was the family protector.

He drained the cup with the invalid's characteristic sigh. "Good?"

"Wonderful." She made him more comfortable among the pillows. "Miss your nurse?"

He grinned. "I can spare that woman. She was a bit too bossy." He was silent for a few moments. Then he said, hesitatingly, "You all right, Gypsy?"

"Yes, of course. Why?" "I just wondered."

She flushed. Daddy was smart. You seldom fooled him about anything. Had he noticed the last time he had been to see them the coolness between her and Tom?

"Of course, I'm all right. Haven't I got everything in the world?"

"I guess so." "Just don't you worry about anything but getting strong," Gypsy advised, patting his hand. "Daddy—" she paused, not knowing quite how to go on. "Tom and I have a little money saved," she said awkwardly. "He told me—he wanted me to tell you it was yours if you need it now."

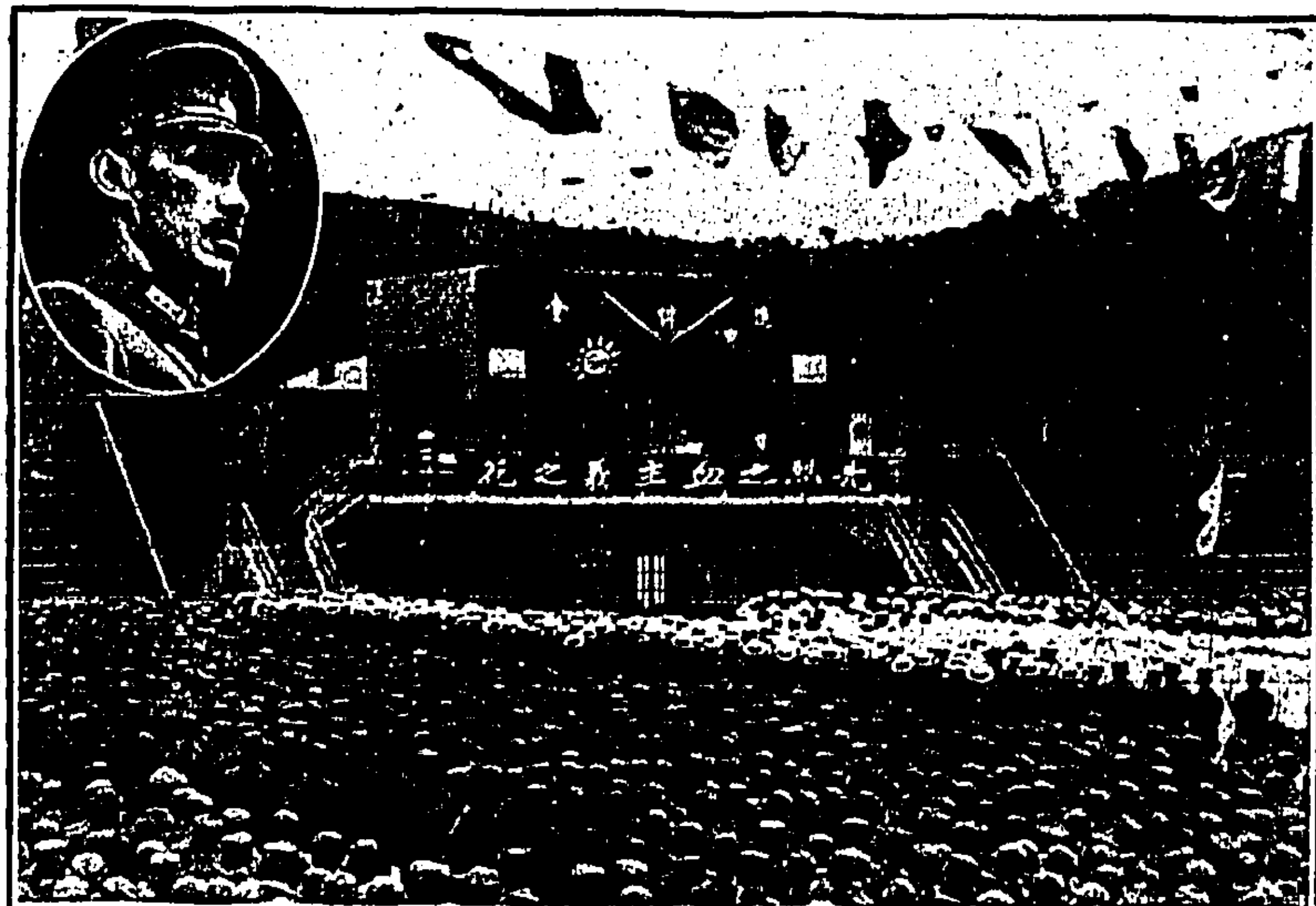
"Why, that's—that's awfully good." The man in the bed blinked twice and swallowed hard. "Thanks, dear. I'll remember that. I think we can get by. It's mighty lucky I kept up that disability insurance. It's paying me \$50 a week right now and I guess we can keep our heads above water. Keep your money, child. You'll need it. Guess you'll be wanting a house of your own one of these days. Tell Tom I appreciate his kind thought."

She twitched the coverlet straight and turned to go but he

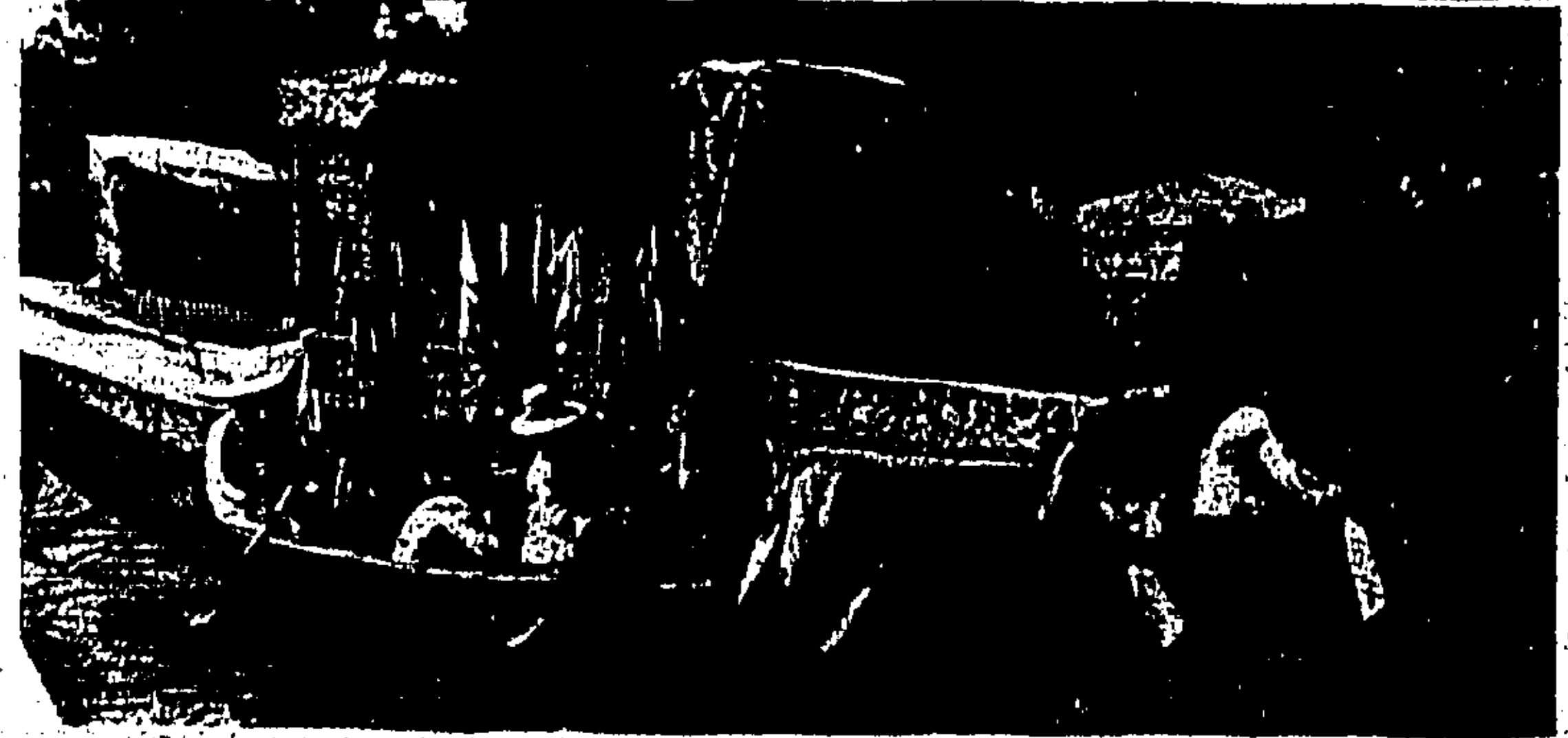
detained her. "You get a lot of time to think, lying here as I do," he said slowly. (Continued on Page 10.)



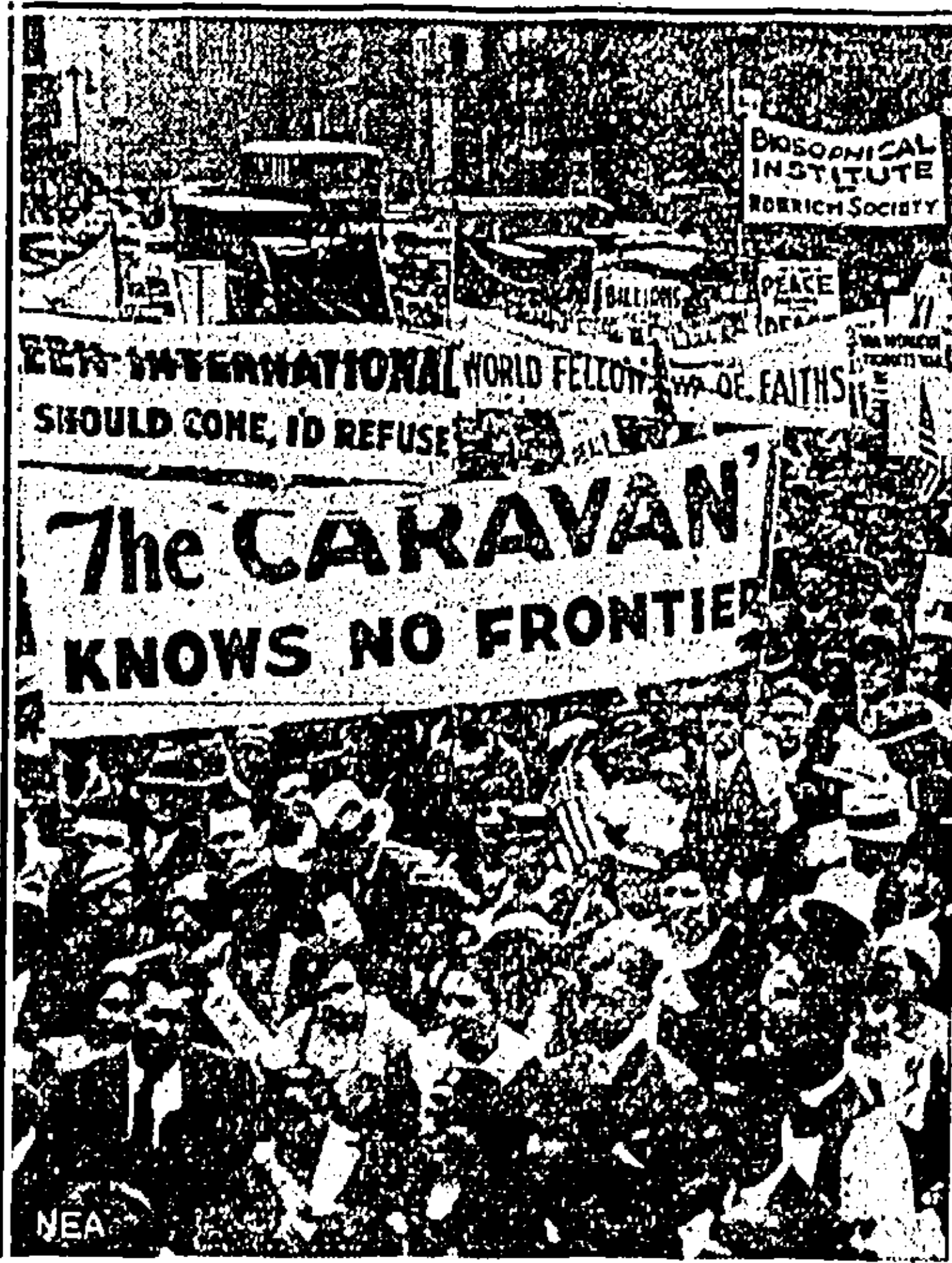
Mr. Norman Davis, who is conducting the American and of the extremely delicate naval conversations now proceeding in London.



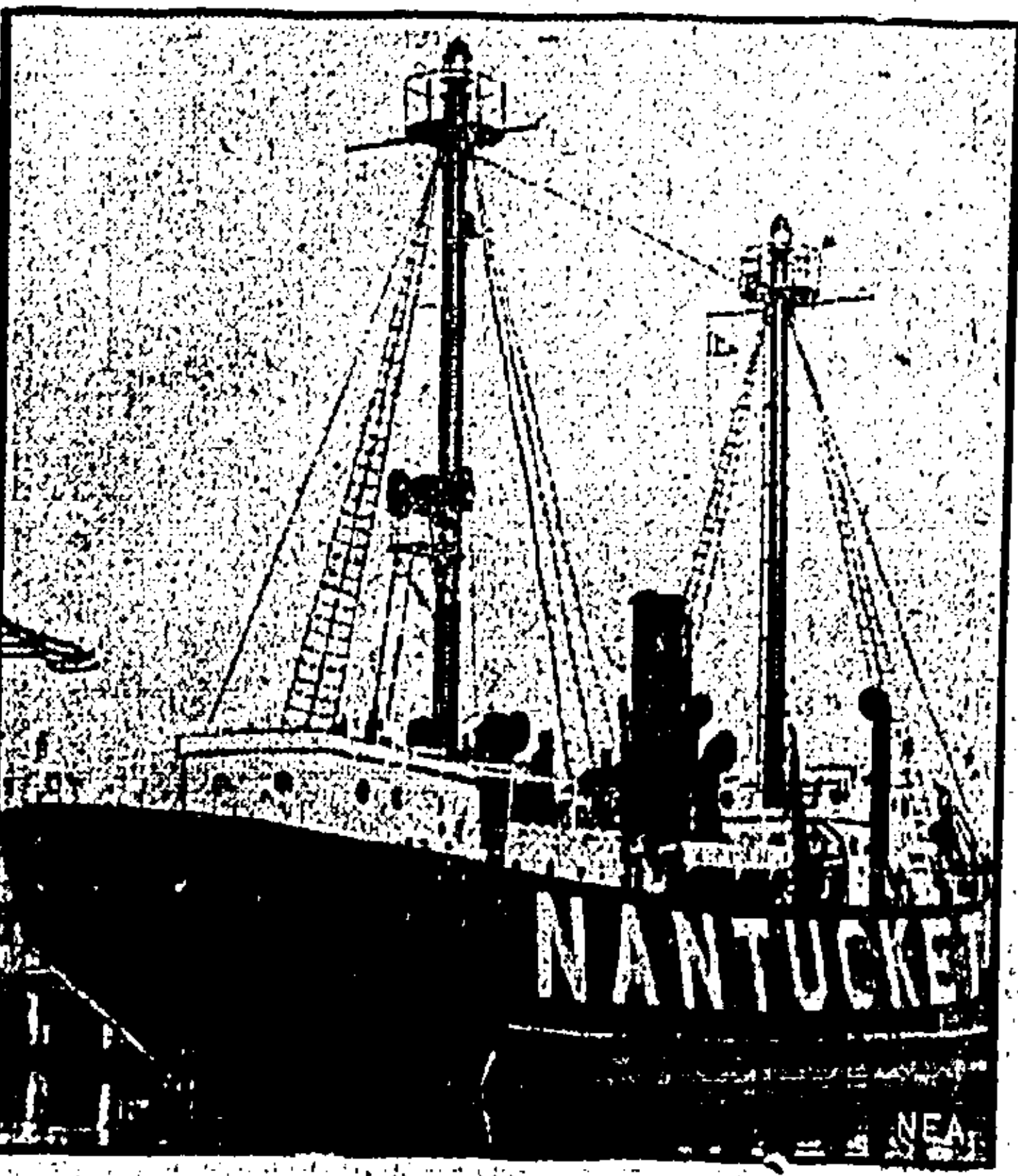
Elaborate ceremonies were held in Nanking on Saturday June 16, in commemoration of the 10th anniversary of the founding of the Central Military Academy, formerly known as the Whampoa Military Academy. This picture shows the sea of heads that faced the Generalissimo (in inset) as he addressed the assembled cadets, extolling the virtue of Dr. Sun Yat-sen and urging his audience to emulate his example.



Vast crowds of people visited the gardens in the Chinese city in Shanghai to see the local celebrations of the Dragon Boat Festival. At the top is a glimpse of the lake on which the two dragon boats manoeuvred, with the teahouse in the background, and below are seen the dragon boats.



In a spirited parade in which church, school, political and social organizations were represented, more than 10,000 men, women and children, some of whom are shown here, paraded in Fifth Avenue in an impressive anti-war demonstration. Gathering in Madison Square, they were addressed by John Haynes Holmes, who told them that in the prison cell of a conscientious objector "there is more honour than on the field of battle."



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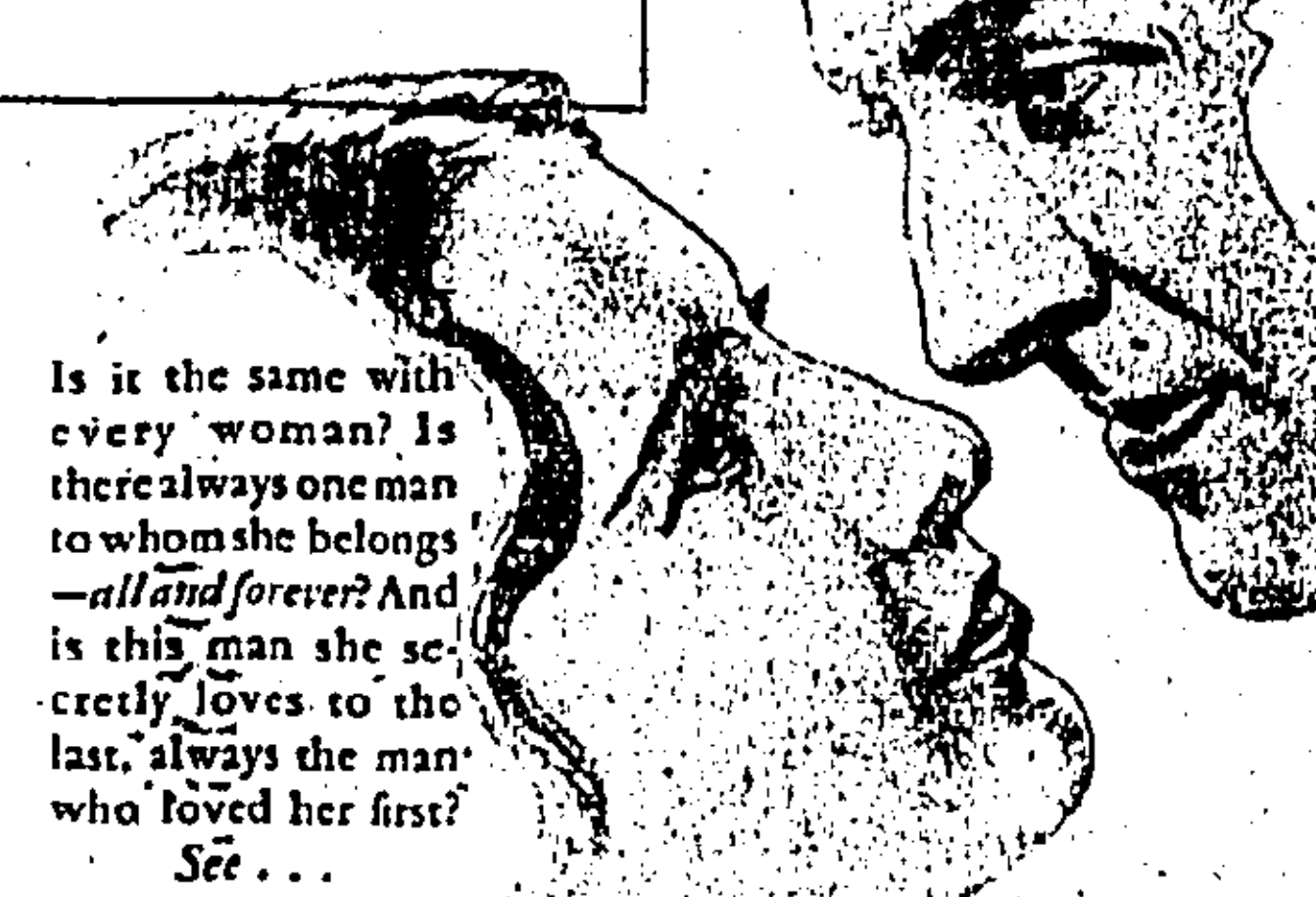
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YESTERDAY'S MARKET EASY

According to Messrs. Swan Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was easy yesterday. Business done 400,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports:—The market has been extremely dull and narrowly irregular, pending the appointment of the Stock Exchange Control Commission. Silver shares, however, weakened inexplicably during the last hour of trading, after having shown firmness early in the day. Silver futures have been very active all the month, possibly due to further Government buying plus the reported closing out of speculative accounts together with profit-taking by speculators, who foresee an end to the futures market. Curls are firm, but are extremely dull. Bonds are dull and narrowly erratic. Most European bond issues are steady. French 7½% Bonds are around 185, which is a record high level. Prices of wheat have dropped due to heavy receipts.

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz's New York office report:—Stocks: Stocks were in moderate supply towards the close on reports of a sharp decline in steel operations, but offerings were well absorbed. Wheat: The heaviest run on now wheat yet seen depressed the market movement at the peak. There may be a little more set-back due to this cause, but supplies should be bought on these dips. Corn: There have been good rains in the Corn Belt. We still think that we will get a better spot to buy before the week is over. Cotton: Prices are firm on increased complaints of crop damage due to high temperatures in Texas. Offerings for July were fairly large, but tenders are expected to-morrow which will probably complete the liquidation of the principal July long accounts. Rubber: Prices are steady. The primary markets are unwilling to reduce their offerings to reduce parity. The strike in Akron has not yet been settled, but is confined to the General Tire & Rubber Co. Silver: Premiums on future options are widening perceptibly due to the postponement of July long positions and unwillingness on the part of banks and others to make switches, except on a basis which, after the 50% tax has been deducted, leaves a satisfactory interest yield. Dow-Jones Averages:

	June 23.	June 25.
30 Industrials	90.59	95.70
20 Rails	44.13	45.05
20 Utilities	23.76	23.61
40 Bonds	94.72	94.73
11 Commodity Index	56.47	56.47
The following market closing prices are quoted subject to confirmation as to accuracy in transmission:		
	June 23.	June 25.
Adams Express	8½	8½
Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Company	19½	19½
Allied Chemical and Dye	139½	139½
American Can	96½	96½
American & Foreign Power	8½	8½
American Smelting	41½	41½
American Tel. and Tel.	114½	113½
American Tobacco	74½	74½
American Water-works	19½	19½
Anaconda Copper	15	14½
Atlas Corporation	10½	10½
Auburn Automobile	25	24½
Baltimore and Ohio	23½	23½

Bethlehem Steel	34	33
Borden Company	20½	20½
Borg Warner	23½	22½
Canadian Pacific	16	14½
Railway	51	49½
J.I. Case	20½	20
Chase National Bank	46½	46
Chesapeake Corporation	39½	38½
Chrysler Corporation	13½	13½
Columbia Gas and Electric	2½	2½
Commonwealth and Southern	33½	33½
Consolidated Gas of New York	10½	10½
Consolidated Oil Corporation	10	10
Coty Inc.	5¼	5¼
Curtis Wright Com.	3¼	3¼
Curtis Wright "A"	10	10
Du Pont de Nemours	89½	88½
Eastman Kodak	97½	97½
Electric Bond and Share	15½	15½
Electric Power and Light	5½	5½
Fox Film "A"	13½	13½
General Aviation	4½	4½
General Electric	20	19½
General Motors	32	32
General Railway Signal	31½	30½
Gold Dust	Unq.	31½
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	19½	19½
International Harvester	28½	27½
International Nickel	Unq.	25½
International Tel. & Tel.	32½	32½
Johns Manville	52	52
Kennecott Copper	21½	20½
Lehman Corporation	Unq.	60
Liggett and Myers	95½	95½
Loew's Inc.	30½	29½
Lorillard P. (Com.)	17½	18½
Montgomery Ward	27	26½
National City Bank	20½	20
National Distillers	24	23½
New York Central	29½	29
North American Co.	17½	16½
Owens-Illinois Glass	Unq.	Unq.
Pacific Gas & Electric	18½	18½
Packard Motors	3½	3½
Pennsylvania Railway	30½	30½
Pennrod Corporation	2½	2½
Phillips Petroleum	17½	17½
Radio Corporation	7	7½
Reynolds Tobacco	44½	45½
Sears Roebuck	42	41½
Southern California Edison	10½	10½
Socony-Vacuum Corporation	15½	15½
Standard Gas and Electric	11½	11
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	43½	43½
Sterling Products Inc.	60	60½
Studebaker Corporation	4½	4½
Texas Corporation	23½	23½
Transamerica	4½	4½
Union Carbide and Carbon	41½	41½
Union Pacific Railway	Unq.	122
United Aircraft and Transport	18½	18½
United Corporation	5½	5½
United Gas Improvement	16½	16½
U.S. Rubber	18½	18½
U.S. Steel	40½	38½
Universal Leaf Tobacco	Unq.	Unq.
Vanadium	21½	21½
Warner Bros. Pictures	5½	5½
Westinghouse E. and M.	30½	35½
Woolworths	50½	50

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H.K. Bank (London), \$131 n.	
Chartered Bank, \$10½ n.	
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East Asia Bank, \$91 n.	
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.	
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.	
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.	
Insurance.	
Canton Ins., \$300 n.	
Union Ins., \$572½ n.	
China Underwriters, \$1¼ n.	
China Fire, \$510 n.	
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.	
International Assoc., \$5 n.	
Shipping.	
Douglas, \$40 n.	
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.	
Indo-China, (Prof.), \$30 n.	
Indo-China, (Def.), \$38 n.	
Shells (Steam), \$50 n.	
Union Waterboats, \$11.60 b.	
Mining.	
Antamoks, 69 cts. n.	
Balatoes, \$32 b.	
Baguio Gold, 86 cts. n.	
Benguet, \$32¼ n.	
Benguet Exploration, 20 cts. n.	
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.	
Big Wedge, 12½ n.	
Gold Creek, \$2½ n.	
Gold River, 24 cts. b.	
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.	
Ilogons, \$7 n.	
Kallan, 20/- n.	
Langkats (Single), \$18½ n.	
S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.	
S'hai Loans, \$6 n.	
Raub, \$14½ n.	
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.	
Decks, etc.	
H.K. Wharves, \$109 n.	
H.K. Docks, \$16 n.	
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.	
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.	
Providents (old), \$1¼ n.	
Providents (new), 60 cts. n.	
Hongkows (old), \$32½ n.	
Hongkows (new), \$320 n.	
New Engineering, Sh. \$5 n.	
Shanghai Docks, \$131 n.	
Cotton Mills, etc.	
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$11.30 n.	
S'hai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$72 n.	
S'hai Cottons (new), Sh. \$42 n.	
Zong Sings, Sh. \$11½ n.	
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Landa, Hotels, etc.	
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H.K. Land, \$59 n.	
S'hai Land, \$25 n.	
Metropolitan Land, Sh. \$14 n.	
Humphreys, \$10.60 n.	
A.K. Realities, \$5.30 b.	
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.	
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.	
Chinese Estates, \$2½ b.	
China Realities, Sh. \$15½ n.	
China Debutante, Sh. \$187 n.	
Public Utilities.	
Tramways, \$21.20 b.	
Peak Trams (old), \$15 n.	
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.	
Star Ferries, (old), \$101 n.	
Yaumati Ferries, \$21 n.	
C. Lights (old), \$8.80 n.	
C. Lights (new), \$8.25 b.	
H.K. Electric, \$73 n.	
Macao Electric, \$25 n.	
Sandakan Light, \$24.70 b.	
Telephones (old), \$12.15 n.	
Telephones (new), \$13.20 n.	
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H.K. Entertainments, 7½ n.	
S.C. Enterprises, \$1½ n.	
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.	
Macao "Greyhounds" \$2 n.	
Constructions (old), \$1.65 n.	
Constructions (new), 70 cts. b.	
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Siberia (London Papers only) London, 7th June	June 27.
Manila	June 27.
Japan	June 27.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 31st May—and Air Mail, 24th May—and Air Mail, ex Amsterdam—Bandoeng Service	June 27.
Calcutta and Straits	June 27.
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Saigon and Air Mail ex Marseilles—Saigon Service	June 27.
Straits	June 28.
Japan	June 28.
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Japan and Shanghai	June 28.
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Straits	June 28.
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OUTWARD MAILS.	
For	Date and Time.
Tuesday	
Samshui and Wuchow	Tues, June 26, 4 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halyang, Tues, June 26, 4 p.m.
Bangkok	Gustav Diederichsen, Tues, June 26, 4.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Lincoln, Tues, June 26, 4.30 p.m.
Wednesday	
Haiphong	Canton, Wed, June 27, 2 p.m.
Swatow	Selatan, Wed, June 27, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan, Wed, June 27, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Takada, Wed, June 27, 5 p.m.
Thursday	
Shanghai and Japan	Ranchi, Thurs, June 28, 9.30 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru Thurs, June 28, 10.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Houtz Thurs, June 28, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangen Thurs, June 28, 3 p.m.
Friday	
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. (Parcels for Canada only) and Europe via Siberia (Due Vancouver B.C., 18th July).	Emp. of Canada, Fri, June 29, 5 p.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Halphong	Kingyuen, Fri, June 29, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halching, Fri, June 29, 2 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Felix Roussel, Fri, June 29, 4.30 p.m.
Saturday	
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Sat, June 30.
G. P. O.	
Reg., June 29, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., June 29, 5 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Kalsar-I-Hind, etc.	Letters, June 30, 9 a.m.
East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 27th July).	Letters, June 30, 9.30 a.m.
G. P. O.	
Parcels, June 29, 4.30 p.m.	Parcels, June 29, 5 p.m.
Reg., June 30, 10 a.m.	Reg., June 30, 9.45 a.m.
Letters, June 30, 10 a.m.	Letters, June 30, 10.30 a.m.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Nankin	Letters, June 30, 10.30 a.m.
Zealand via Brisbane	Parcels, June 29, 5 p.m.
(Due Brisbane, 17th July).	Reg., June 30, 9.30 a.m.
Amoy	Hupei, Sat, June 30, 3.30 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Parcels, Sat, June 30.
(Due Thursday Island, 12th July).	Reg., June 30, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters, June 30, 5 p.m.

*Superscribed correspondence only.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.

Chinese Bonds.	
	June 22. June 25.
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£101½
4½% Loan 1908	£ 92½
5% Loan 1912	£ 99½
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 94
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 90
5% S'hai-Nanking Ry.	£ 65
5% Tient-Pukow Ry.	£ 34
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 25
5% S'hai-H'chow-Ningpo Ry.	£ 98½
5% Honan Ry.	£ 32
5% Hukang Ry.	£ 36
5% Lung Tsing U. Ry.	£ 15½
5% Hai Ry. 1913	£ 15½
Foreign Bonds and Banks.	
German 7% Int. Loan 1924	£ 61
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 74
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 88½
H.K. & S'hai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£131
Charld. Bk. 25 sh. & 10% & 10%	
Industrials and Breweries.	
Associated Elec. Industries	18/6
Brit-Amor. Tob. (Beater)	118/1½
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Beater)	20/-
Tate and Lyle	90/3
Courtaulds	48/9
Distillers	90/3
Dunlop Rubber	45/10½
Eveready 5/- sh.	28/6
General Electric (England)	41/-
Boots	42/9
Impl. Chem. Ind.	35/7½
Impl. Chem. Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	8/9
Impl. Tobacco	123/9
Woolworths	101/3
Internat. Nickel no par val	25%

MANAGER "FIRED" AT POLICE STATION

MARCEL BUFFET'S OWNER SUED

BAD LANGUAGE DESCRIBED: COURT NO PLACE FOR LADIES

MR. ADAMSON'S CLAIM

Frank Lewiston Adamson, former manager of a jazz band at the Gloucester Building, and later manager of the Marcel Buffet, 70, Nathan Road, commenced a claim against Nathan Blumenthal, proprietor of the Buffet, at the Supreme Court this morning.

Originally his claim was for \$17,000 damages and costs, but at the commencement of the hearing his counsel stated that the claim for general damages would be withdrawn and plaintiff would proceed with claims for special damages amounting to \$7,492.

Defendant, in a long statement of particulars admits an agreement to employ plaintiff and to afford him and his wife free meals, but seeks to justify his dismissal under ten allegations of misconduct on the part of defendant, while acting as manager. He stated that Adamson was drunk, assaulted the servants, was familiar with them, and failed to account for monies as he should have done.

There is also a counter-claim for \$598.12 and another unassessed amount.

In his opening address, Mr. Macnamara said his client, Mr. Blumenthal, dismissed plaintiff at the Water Police Station in circumstances which would be revealed in evidence.

DETAILS OF CLAIM.

Plaintiff's statement of claim sets out that under an agreement dated June 10, 1933, defendant engaged him as manager of the Marcel Buffet for a period of one year. Defendant wrongfully terminated his service and refused to employ him on October 5 of the same year and the present claim was for this breach of contract. The claim was for 40 per cent. of the net profits from October 5, 1933, to June 16, 1934, estimated at \$8,488; meals for plaintiff and wife, three each daily for the same period, \$1,004; general damages, \$17,000, and costs.

The counter-claim was for \$598.12 money lent to Adamson; repayment of whatever amount was found to be due from Adamson to defendant.

DEFENDANT'S ALLEGATIONS.

Defendant, in his statement, admitted that he was the proprietor of the Buffet, that plaintiff was employed there under an agreement to pay 40 per cent. of the profits and provide free meals. He denied that Adamson was wrongfully dismissed or that he was injured in his credit or reputation; and he accused Adamson of perpetual drunkenness, causing or permitting the Buffet to be open after the legal hours and thereby endangering the licence of the house; assaulting Erich Richter, manager of the Marcel Cafe; being unduly familiar with the servants employed at the Buffet; using profane and obscene language; failing as manager to account for money received by him on behalf of Blumenthal; failing to keep proper books and accounts; frequently being drunk in the Buffet and thus endangering the licence; being drunk on September 7, and assaulting servants by throwing bottles and trays at them, causing them to leave their employment; engaging two children about ten years old as servants without authority and necessity; failing to keep servants in proper control.

Mr. H. C. Macnamara, instructed by Mr. R. H. Cole, of Hall, Brutton and Co., appeared for defendant, and Mr. Leo D'Almada, junr., instructed by Mr. M. A. da Silva, of Remedios and Silva, represented plaintiff.

The case was heard by the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor.

MISCONDUCT ISSUE.

Mr. D'Almada said he wished to abandon the general claim for \$17,000 which was originally intended to cover the special damages; he was confining himself now to the special claims for commission and meals. The assessment of the damages would be taken before the Registrar and the main question before the court was the allegations of misconduct. The onus of opening was on the defendant, because the plaintiff could not be expected to answer accusations he knew nothing about. Mr. Macnamara said that had plaintiff not abandoned his general

claim, the onus of opening would have been on him, and he would want to know later on why they had thus reduced their claim by \$9,500. Defendant did not know whether or not plaintiff had had any other employment since he left the Marcel Cafe—he may have been a jazz band leader at a more remunerative salary for all he knew—but if he had, it would mitigate the damages.

The Chief Justice, ruling that the onus of opening was on defendant, Mr. Macnamara proceeded with his case.

ADAMSON ENGAGED.

Defendant, he said, was a family man with two sons, who would give evidence, and two daughters. He had been connected with buffets and similar businesses for over 30 years in the Far East and had been in Hongkong for three years, during which time he had held a publican's licence. In June of last year, Blumenthal, as now, indisposed, and wished to take a trip to Japan for his health. In that month, he signed an agreement employing Adamson as manager for a year, Adamson then being engaged in litigation with his former manager. It was decided that David Blumenthal should supervise the business during his father's absence and Leon Blumenthal, the younger brother, should collect the daily cash takings. Plaintiff had said he could influence business at the buffet among American sailors. Defendant was away from June to September and he dismissed Adamson sometime between June 4 or 5 at Water Police Station.

STIPULATION MADE.

The first witness was defendant.

Referring to the agreement, Mr. Blumenthal stated it was entered into on June 10, in the Ice House Street Snack Counter. At the time he was in ill-health and contemplated going to Japan. Before he went he told plaintiff that he was not to buy or sell, or engage servants, without the consent of his son. He made that stipulation because he did not know much about Mr. Adamson. Witness stated that he returned from Japan on September 13 and on that night noticed that many changes had been made. He went to No. 73 to see Mr. Adamson and there was a smell of onions and potatoes stinking the whole place. He investigated and found that Adamson had made a small kitchen out of a small office room. "At about 12.30 a.m., I heard a noise downstairs and when I went down I found the shop was still open. Adamson, his wife and an American Chinese cook were in the buffet. I thought the cook was a customer.

"I told him to close the shop. The next night the same thing occurred and I told Adamson that I would lose my licence."

Mr. Macnamara—I want to ask Mr. Blumenthal what Adamson's reply was. I am afraid the language is rather disagreeable and I notice there are some ladies present. Could they leave the Court for a moment?

The Court was then cleared while witness repeated plaintiff's alleged remarks.

DRUNKENNESS ALLEGED.

Continuing his evidence, witness said: "His eyes went big and his mouth goes to one side—the American style. Whisky or beer made him like that. I don't know which. When a man drinks, one wants to sing, another wants to cry and another wants to fight."

Mr. Macnamara:—You think he was drunk then?

Witness:—Yes. I asked who the Chinaman was and was told that he was Adamson's private cook. I then told the other servants not to give him anything.

COOK IN SHOP.

"The following night, I found the same thing. The shop had not been closed by half past twelve. Adamson's cook asked for his pay and I told him 'No' as I had not engaged him. Then Adamson began 'talking his mouth' and had the 'cook in arms.' Mr. Richter was also in the shop. Mr. Macnamara:—Mr. Richter has not been introduced to his Lordship yet.

His Lordship:—Only in correspondence.

Witness stated that on September 16 he again went to the Buffet and found the cook in the shop with Adamson. He told him he did not want him in the shop, but Adamson refused to part with him. Witness sent a letter to Adamson telling him to dismiss the cook, which he subsequently did.

"From September 16 until September 25 he was still drinking the same as before. He is clever at his business, my God! I had an interview with him on September 26 and found him drinking with the cashier and told him that was not the way to control the cash. The cash register always showed more money than was handed over.

"On the morning of October 5 as soon as I brought back a cashier, Adamson got up suddenly and went out—finish."

His Lordship: Adamson broke up the party.

Continuing, witness said he told Adamson to close up the shop when he came back, to which Adamson replied "No you old—I will close up when I feel like it."

"OLD FRIENDS."

"I turned to Richter," said witness, and told him to call the Police. Adamson then closed up. This all happened after midnight. Adamson and his wife were in the Buffet at the time together with a man named Greenway. I went behind the counter and Adamson told Richter to go home. He then turned to me and said "Come out you old—and I will kick you."

"I told Richter to go and as he went out he was seized by Adamson and Greenway. I shouted 'Call the Police' and pulled Richter back into the shop.

"I then went to the water Police Station and found Adamson and Greenway already there. His Lordship: Your old friends."

"YOU'RE FIRED!"

Witness: The Police Sergeant told Richter to take out a summons and I told Adamson, "You're fired."

Mr. Macnamara: That's the American term for dismissal.

Witness: When I came back from Japan I nearly dropped dead to find so many bills and I asked Mr. Lanepart to go through the bills and accounts.

Questioned regarding a letter sent to him by Adamson containing certain complaints, witness denied that unauthorised people had been interfering with Adamson. "I do not think anyone would interfere with him. He is like a tiger," he added.

Mr. Macnamara: He also says in the letter that a great wrong has been done to him.

Mr. Macnamara: He wrote to you on September 26 asking for some money on account—\$160. Did you give it to him?—Witness: No.

Did you ever speak to him about these matters?—Yes.

Had he had any money since he started?—Yes, \$300.

LOSS OF REPUTATION.

Then on the 27th, you wrote objecting to the presence of the discharged cook, saying he had been discharged for drinking and making insulting remarks to you?—Yes.

Then you wrote another letter on October 5 confirming the dismissal you had made at the Police Station about 1.30 a.m., and after a great deal of correspondence with lawyers, Adamson brought this action for wrongful dismissal?—Yes.

What was the amount of damages he originally claimed against you?—\$17,000 for wrongful dismissal and loss of reputation.

Did you think that justified?—No.

You know now that he has dropped the claim for loss of reputation?—Yes.

I think it is just as well. Cross examined, witness said he knew Mr. Lanepart well. "He is a well-known nudist. There was never any difference between Adamson, Lanepart and himself about the accounts."

Witness, in answer to another question said he was quite satisfied with Guelati, his cashier, "except when he made a few mistakes with his fingers on the cash register."

THE BOOKS.

Counsel questioned witness regarding the position of Mr. Pereira in the Cafe, whether Mr.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"STATES ARE MADE FOR MAN AND NOT MAN FOR STATES"—H. G. Wells.

The success of the Craigengower Cricket Club whilst drives having been firmly established, it is arranged to hold another drive for members and their friends at the club on Saturday evening next.

It is notified that the \$600 notes of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Hongkong, of the issue dated 1st July, 1930, are being freely accepted and exchanged among the members of the Exchange Bankers Association.

LITTLE GIRL'S DEATH

FUNERAL SERVICE AT CATHEDRAL

Much sympathy is being felt for Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Carrington-Sykes in the death of Barbara, their five-year-old daughter, who passed away on Sunday night. The funeral service was held at St. John's Cathedral yesterday, after which the remains were cremated at Soekunpoo.

The Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan, officiated at the funeral service, amongst those present being His Excellency Major General O. C. Borrett and Mrs. Borrett, the Hon. Sir William Shenton, Lt. Col. H.B.L. Dowbiggin and other friends and sympathisers.

Among the large number of wreaths sent were the following: His Excellency Sir William and Lady Peel, Major General and Mrs. O. C. Borrett, Commodore and Mrs. F. Elliot, His Honour Mr. Justice and Mrs. A. D. A. MacGregor, the Hon. Sir William Shenton, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon Mackie, Lt. Commander and Mrs. F. H. E. Skyrme, Lt. Col. Bryden and Officers, R.A.M.C., Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. E. Finken; Lt. Col. D. C. Wilson and Officers of H.K.S.B.R.A.; Lt. Col. and Mrs. Dowbiggin; Lt. Col. C. H. Kuhne, Major and Mrs. J. A. C. Griffin, Major and Mrs. A. C. Hancock, Major and Mrs. E. F. W. Grellier, Major and Mrs. N. C. Parkes, Major and Mrs. S. D. Reid, Major and Mrs. E. B. Brasier Creagh, Capt. and Mrs. W. F. Ryecroft, Capt. and Mrs. P. V. Williams, Capt. F. R. L. Menzies, Capt. and Mrs. E. Hague, Capt. W. J. Fennell and Lt. Tollington, Rev. and Mrs. J. Lewis Bryan.

Other wreaths sent were from Officers of the 8th Heavy Battery, R.A., All Ranks, 9th Heavy Battery, 12th Heavy Battery, 20th Heavy Battery and 24th Heavy Battery; W.O.s, Sergeants, and Sergeants, Lyemun, Married families, Lyemun, N.C.O. Mess, Stonecutters, Sergeant's Mess, H.K.S.B., R.A., Officers of the Royal Engineers, Married families, Stonecutters, Senior N.C.O. Mess, Lyemun; R.A., Headquarters, Sergeants' Mess; Mr. and Mrs. Ingram de Ville, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lock, Richard Raworth, Elizabeth and Vera Black, John and Brenda Nesborth, Ken and Joan, June, John and Jean, and the President and Committee of the Garrison Welfare Council.

Pereira was "fired" or left of his own accord.

Witness pointed out that Mr. Pereira left one day, taking the books, stating that he would work on them. Nothing however, had been done when the books came back, and in giving Mr. Pereira notice, witness made the payment of a month's salary conditional on the books being duly posted up, work for which he had been paid.

In reply to another question, witness said he had never thought of making Mr. Pereira manager, nor had he increased his salary from \$30 to \$60 on that account.

Regarding the engagement of Mr. Adamson, witness did not agree that he had seen in the engagement the advantage of having an American manager to look after a business that was mostly patronised by Americans from ships.

"NOT A COPPER."

He agreed that business increased after Mr. Adamson's engagement, but pointed out that it was the form of chits. "Not a copper have I seen," witness declared to the Court.

He was left with a loss of \$6,000, and without any accounts properly to show how that loss had been sustained.

Regarding witness's previous statement that Mr. Adamson was unduly familiar with the servants, Counsel asked if it was not a fact that far from Mr. Adamson using bad language, Mr. Adamson had turned out customers from the Cafe for doing so.

Witness replied that he would have liked Mr. Adamson better if he had done what he claimed to have done. As it was he had no knowledge of the incidents in question.

The hearing was adjourned until this afternoon.

Two cases of small-pox were reported to the local health authorities during the week-end.

The submarines Oswald and Osiris left Weihaiwei yesterday and are expected to arrive in Hongkong on July 1.

To avoid clashing with other functions, the Committee of M. Tamar, have in future, decided to hold their Whist Drives fortnightly instead of weekly. Consequently there will be no Whist Drive on Friday next, and the next will take place on Friday, July 6.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST

TWO STUDIO CONCERTS FOR TO-NIGHT

Broadcast from ZBW on 845 kilocycles: 4.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7.30-10.30 p.m. European Programme.

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc. 7.33-8 p.m. Light Orchestral Music. Foot and Peasant—Overture (Suppo). Percy Pitt and Augmented Symphonic Orchestra.

Merry Wives of Windsor (Nicolai). Victor Symphony Orchestra. A Musical Jig-Saw (arr. A. W. Aston). Regal Cinema Orchestra. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.40 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Mr. Harry Oro's Pupils.

Programme. 1. (a) Fugue in D. Bach. (b) Fugue in F Sharp. Bach. (c) To the Spring. Grieg. (d) Sparks. Mozskovsky.

2. (a) Fugue in G Minor. Bach. (b) Sonata, Pathetique, 1st Movement. Beethoven. (c) Nocturne in G. Chopin. (d) Fantaisie—Impromptu. Chopin.

8.40-9 p.m. Opera. Thais—L'Amour Est Une Vertu Rare (Love is a Virtue Rare) (Masseenet). Marysue Beaujon (Soprano). Meiselsfeld—Prologue (Bolto-arr. Creator).

Meiselsfeld—Selections (Bolto-arr. Creator). II Trovatore—Vocal Gems (Verdi). Grand Opera Company. Tales of Hoffman—The Legend of Klemensack (Offenbach). Tudor Davis (Tenor).

9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio. "Typical Talks on the United Kingdom" by Mr. G. C. Felham (H. M. Trade Commissioner).

9.30-9.45 p.m. From the Studio. Mandolin Solo by Miss Sadie Yuen. 1. Empress March. Heath. 2. Pasuna Waltz. King. 3. Kanchameha. Waltz. King. 4. Masquerade Waltz. Loeb. 5. The Mando Melody. Young. 6. N. C. 4. Bigdon. 9.45-10.30 p.m. Variety and Dance Music.

Song—I was in the Mood. Song—Why Don't they Leave us Alone. Hildegardo. Organ Solos—Broadway Thru' a Keyhole—Selection. Organ Solos—Take a Chance—Selection.

Fox Trot—My Dancing Lady. Fox Trot—Sittin' on a Log. Fran Frey and His Orchestra. Vocal—Shuffle off to Buffalo. Vocal—You're Getting to be a Habit with Me. The Four Musketeers. Piano Duet—Ain't She the Dainty. Piano Duet—I Want a Fair and Square Man. Berrol Gibbons and John W. Green. Instrumental—Looking for you. Instrumental—An Old Violin. Albert Sandler (Violin) with Olive Groves (Soprano). Fox Trot—Faint Harmony. Waltz—Unlone.

The B. B. C. Dance Orchestra. 10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News. 10.35 p.m. Close Down.

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A fine of \$8 was imposed on Mr. J. M. D'Almada of No. 22 Kent Road for allowing his dog out in Waterloo Road without a muzzle at 6.25 a.m. on May 24. His Worship remarked that he did not increase the fine in this case because the summons was taken out before he had issued his warning.

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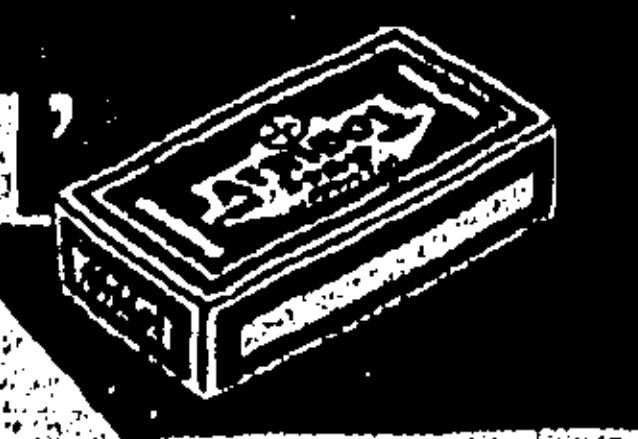
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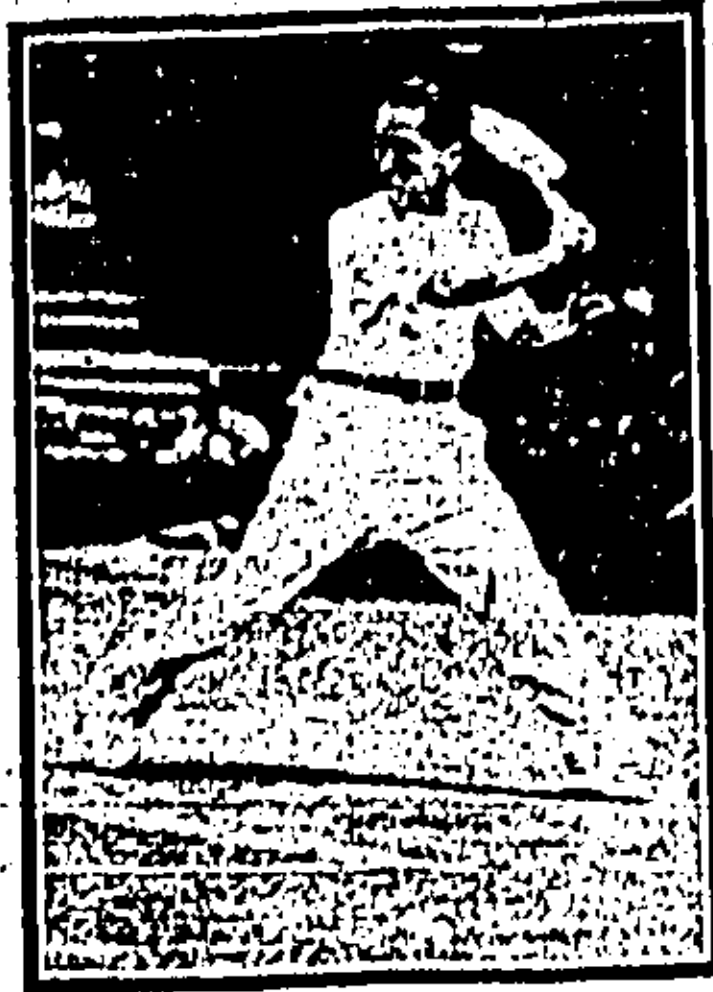


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R. Miki, who scored a neat victory at Wimbledon yesterday.

FORGING AHEAD

YANKEES AND GIANTS WIN

DETROIT CHECKED

New York, June 25. The New York Giants pulled further away from St. Louis Cardinals as a result of another win over their rivals to-day. The Yankees also continued in winning vein, outplaying Chicago. Detroit, who are on their heels, sustained reverse at the hands of Philadelphia Athletic.

The full results as cabled by Reuter follow.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2	10	1
New York	13	18	0

(Gehrig and Combs homered.)

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	9	2
Boston	6	1	0

(Foxworth homered twice and McNair once.)

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	4	10	0
Washington	6	11	1

(P. Warner homered.)

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	7	2
Pittsburgh	5	14	0

(New York homered.)

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	7	9	1
Philadelphia	1	7	2

(The Yankees homered.)

The following are other National League games arranged.

London, June 25.

The great sporting events which are taking place this week include the Open Golf Championship, in which the four leading American players, including Gene Sarazen, are taking part; the Wimbledon Lawn Tennis Championships, which have attracted a specially large entry from countries overseas; and, the continuation of the Second Test Match at Lords.

British Wireless.

RESULTS IN BRIEF.

MEN'S SINGLES.

First Round

J. Crawford (Australia) beat I. Tloczynski (Poland) 6-2, 7-5, 8-6.
S. B. Wood (America) beat V. McGrath (Australia) 10-8, 6-4, 6-4.
H. W. Austin (Britain) beat M. Slem (India) 6-3, 6-1, 6-2.
F. X. Shields (America) beat D. Prens (Russia) 6-3, 6-4.
H. C. Fisher (Switzerland) beat I. Aoki (Japan) 6-3, 6-1, 6-3.
R. Miki (Japan) beat C. E. Godsell (Britain) 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.
H. Nishimura (Japan) beat K. C. Candor Dower 4-6, 7-5, 6-4, 6-1.
J. Fujikura (Japan) beat Duplax (France) 6-2, 6-3, 8-6.
G. de Stefani (Italy) beat V. Landau (Monaco) 7-5, 10-8, 7-9, 7-5.
C. Boussus (France) beat C. E. Hare (Britain) 6-3, 6-1, 6-4.
G. Von Cramm (Germany) beat J. Hebda (Poland) w.o.
F. J. Perry (Britain) beat Lieut. C. R. D. Tuckey (Britain) 6-2, 6-2, 5-7, 6-0.

Fine Bowling By Kent Colt

LEWIS 12 FOR 117 AGAINST LANCs.

London, June 25. Lewis, the young Kent bowler, who has already performed notably on several occasions this year, was the outstanding personality of the county cricket match between Lancashire and Kent, which the latter won today by seven wickets, after some low scoring.

Lewis twice confounded the Lancashire batsmen. In their first innings he took 7 for 73 and was mainly responsible for their dismissal for 174, and when they batted a second time he captured 5 for 44, Lancashire being all out for 129.

Kent did well to gain a useful lead on the first innings. On Saturday they were 22 behind with two wickets in hand, but the late batsmen added a further 60 runs to put Kent 38 ahead.

Set to score 93 to win, Kent obtained the runs for the loss of three wickets. —Reuter.

CRAWFORD, PERRY AND AUSTIN WIN

STEFANI GIVEN A RARE SHOCK BY MONACO PLAYER

HARE FALLS VICTIM TO BOUSSUS: EASY FOR FRANK SHIELDS

JAPANESE HAVE A GOOD DAY (SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, June 25.

Heavy showers fell at Wimbledon early this morning, and the uncertain state of the weather affected the attendance for the opening matches of the world's most important tennis championship, with the result that there was plenty of room around the courts.

There were no surprises in the first round. Crawford, of Australia, and holder of the title, had to pull out his best shots against I. Tloczynski to win in straight sets. Tloczynski is one of Poland's leading players, having represented that country in several international matches. He has victories over H. G. N. Lee, H. Timmer and L. Hecht to his credit.

Sydney Wood, one of the chief challengers this year, beat Vivian McGrath, young Australian "hope" after a splendid match. Wood, playing with more power than when he won the championship by default in 1931, served many aces and was altogether too fast for McGrath, who was clearly dazzled by the concentrated energy, allied with accuracy, of his opponent.

H. W. Austin had no difficulty in overcoming the wily M. Slem of India, losing only six games in three sets in his accomplishment. Frank Shields, another of the United States contingent was much too good for Daniel Prens, former German Jew, who entered this year from Russia. Shields, bringing his range of powerful strokes into play, won in straight sets.

STEFANI GIVEN SHOCK.

The longest match of the day, and one which came the nearest to a sensation in result was G. de Stefani's win over V. Landau of Monaco. The Italian won in four sets after 58 games.

Stefani never approached the form by which he beat Fred Perry in the French Championships, and had a narrow escape from defeat. Landau, No. 1 ranking player of Monaco since 1928, has beaten many of the world's leading players during his six year's career.

Keen disappointment was felt in the early defeat of C. E. Hare, the young Birmingham player, who had performed so well this year. He ran against Christian Boussus of France, and went down in straight sets.

The Japanese indeed, won so easily, that he played through three sets without removing his sweater.

Godsell indulged in some fire-work hitting, but his free style did not upset Miki, who by clever placing had his opponent running all over the court. Miki drove brilliantly and won several points with neat drop shots from the baseline. Occasionally Miki went to the net and finished off the rallies with firm shots.

AOKI OFF FORM.

H. C. Fisher, the Swiss player, was fortunate enough to find Aoki off form. The Japanese continually over-drove and seldom brought off winning shots at the net.

Fisher, who is an Oxford soccer and tennis Blue put in some effective work at the net and his excellent cross court shots left Aoki standing.

The Japanese added further to his own downfall by erratic serving. By such means he lost numbers of points which should have been his. —Reuter.

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Fred Perry was given Lieut. C.R.D. Tuckey, the Army champion, as his first opponent, and the result was a fairly comfortable win, although Tuckey succeeded in winning the third set.

Perry went to his points in the fourth set without losing a single game.

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EARLIER GAMES

Three Japanese In Second Round

London, June 25. In defeating Duplax 6-2, 6-3, 8-6, Fujikura, the Japanese Davis Cup player, produced some beautiful and easy winners on both sides of the court.

Duplax's awkward service and backhand made him an easy prey to Fujikura's graceful strokes. In the last two sets the Japanese stormed the net successfully, and cleverly mixed this type of game with beautiful drop shots.

NISHIMURA THE SPHINX. Nishimura, Japan's leading singles player, accounted for Gandar Dower, formerly of Oxford in four sets. Nishimura was sphinx-like and took some time to settle down owing to the slowness of the court.

The Englishman started by hitting strongly while Nishimura punctuated his strokes with mistimed shots. He improved as the game went on, and demonstrated his versatility on the court with a succession of speedy forehand and backhand drives which were very accurate. Later he left Gandar Dower helpless with in-swinging drop shots.

MASTERLY MIKI.

G. E. Godsell, the 27 year-old Stroud player, who has won many open tournaments, and has taken sets from Fred Perry, E. R. Avery, Nigel Sharpe and R. J. Ritchie in competitive matches, was no match for the wily Miki.

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FRANCIS X. SHIELDS

New Tennis Fixture List

ADDITIONAL "C" DIV. PROGRAMME

The Hon. League Secretary of the Lawn Tennis Association has announced the supplementary fixture list for the "C" Division of the league made necessary by the decision not to confine the season's fixtures to matches purely between teams in Hongkong and Kowloon.

It will be seen that this new list provides for matches on both Mondays and Fridays.

JULY 2ND.

P.R.C. v K.C.C.	I.R.C. v D.K.
P.R.C. v C. de R.	C.C.C. v K.D.R.C.
C.S.C.C. v K.B.G.C.	R.S.C. v C.B.A.
A.T.C. v S.C.A.A.	

JULY 9TH.

A.T.C. v K.C.C.	H.K.U.T.C. v D.K.
C.C.C. v C. de R.	I.R.C. v K.B.G.C.
C.S.C.C. v K.B.G.C.	C.B.A. v S.C.A.A.

JULY 16TH.

C.S.C.C. v K.C.C.	R.S.C. v D.K.
C.C.C. v C. de R.	I.R.C. v K.B.G.C.
C.S.C.C. v K.B.G.C.	C.B.A. v S.C.A.A.

JULY 23RD.

P.R.C. v K.C.C.	C.C.C. v D.K.
C.S.C.C. v C. de R.	R.S.C. v K.D.R.C.
C.S.C.C. v K.B.G.C.	H.K.U.T.C. v C.B.A.
C.C.C. v S.C.A.A.	

JULY 6TH.

K.C.C. v H.K.U.T.C.	D.K. v C.C.C.
C. de R. v I.R.C.	

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AUSTRALIA VERSUS VERITY

YORKSHIRE BOWLER SHOWS HIS PROWESS ON GLUEPOT

ENGLAND TRIUMPHS IN THE SECOND TEST

AUSTRALIA met Hadley Verity on a glue-pot wicket at Lord's yesterday. The result was inevitable, and England are now on level terms with their cricketing rivals from the Antipodes.

To Verity, who spins a ball very nearly as well as "Tich" Freeman, the wicket was like a Paradise Lost, regained. To the Australians it was a terrifying thing. A horrible phenomenon. A nightmare.

In this respect England had the luck of the game. But it is to their credit that they made full use of the gift of the gods. Verity got every ounce of assistance out of that pitch, and his colleagues gave him the maximum amount of support and encouragement in the field.

THE effectiveness of the English attack can be gauged by the fact that Australia lost 18 wickets for 210 runs during the day's play.

VERITY'S figures for the day were: 44.3 overs 17 maidens 80 runs 14 wickets. For the entire match they read: 58.3 overs 23 maidens 104 runs 15 wickets.

OF Verity's fifteen victims, eleven were caught in the field. Silent tribute this to the English keenness. The bowler himself caught two others and also clean bowled two.

THE match was a triumph for Yorkshire. Leyland saved his country from collapse in the first innings. Verity and Bowes shared the wickets in Australia's initial visit to the ground, and Verity continued the good work in the follow-on.



Verity



Bowes

THIS was the second time a Test match at Lord's has been won by an innings. In 1886 England dismissed Australia for 121 and 126 to win by an innings and 106 runs.

YESTERDAY'S score was the lowest second innings total recorded in a Test match at Lord's since 1888. On that occasion Australia won by 61 runs after being sent back for 60 in their second knock.

WOODFULL alone contrived to demonstrate defence under difficult conditions. But then that is Woodfull's normal game. The cables stress the number of batsmen who were out to false strokes or mistimed hits. Nothing shows more clearly the necessity for a good easy-paced wicket for the Australian scoring machine.

BRADMAN, Darling, Bromley and McCabe all lost their wickets during the day through mistimed or bad strokes.

THE biggest stand in the second innings was between Woodfull and McCabe. They added 33 for the second wicket. Afterwards four wickets fell at the same total. Five wickets were lost for the addition of a single run. The last eight batsmen left for an additional 75 runs.

THE match was an extraordinary contrast to the last one played at Lord's. In 1930 England scored 425 in their first innings, but the Australians responded with 720 for 6 declared. It was the time Don Bradman scored 254. Again England batted well, hitting up 375 in the second attempt, but it was not good enough, Australia hitting off the 72 for the loss of three wickets.

U.S.R.C. WIN THE MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Glorious Opportunity Missed By The Kowloon Cricket Club

(By "Veritas").

The United Services Recreation Club yesterday won the championship of the mixed doubles tennis league when Mrs. Miller drove a ball out of the court to give the Services the required fifth game for the match.

But the U.S.R.C. had morally won some time earlier, when E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Wilson had gone down in startling fashion to L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll in what was regarded as the all-important match of the afternoon.

It was touch and go for the Services. The K.C.C. missed one glorious chance of winning the match when A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Miller found themselves leading Major and Mrs. Withington 4-1; but the visiting pair cracked up, lost the next four games in a row, and finally the set at 7-5.

BODIKER A SUCCESS.

The introduction of George Bodiker into the K.C.C. team was quite a success. He and Miss Griffiths won two sets, and played together exceedingly well in view of the fact that they had only a couple of hours practice together beforehand.

Had Bodiker been a little sturdier overhead against Goldman and Mrs. Kayll, there might have been a surprise result in this game. As it was the K.C.C. pair took the Colony's best mixed doubles combination to 6-4.

Mrs. Kayll was not at her best until the final set against Fincher and Mrs. Wilson. Then she jumped into brilliant form, smashing, volleying and driving with great power and accuracy. She dominated the net, and was assisted in no small manner in the falling off of Teddy Fincher, who seemed to find Mrs. Kayll's racket a magnet and could not keep the ball away from it.

Two lucky points to the winners in the first game of the set upset the K.C.C. pair. Fincher replied with over-driving, and Mrs. Wilson allowed too narrow a margin for error, with the result that an abundance of mistakes gave the Services combination an unexpected number of points.

THE TIDE TURNED.

Captain Cannon experienced an "off day." It appeared that he found the vivid light very trying, and was certainly well below the mark at the net.

time, and Capt. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan settled things with a win against Guest and Mrs. Miller.

The United Services, who won the title two years ago, are worthy champions. They have turned out one of the best balanced sides ever to compete in this league. Yesterday they were favoured to an extent by fortune, in that Mrs. Kayll was to have sailed for North last week, but the boat was delayed until to-day. Her presence yesterday meant all the difference between victory and defeat. She and Goldman have gone through four matches without losing a single set.

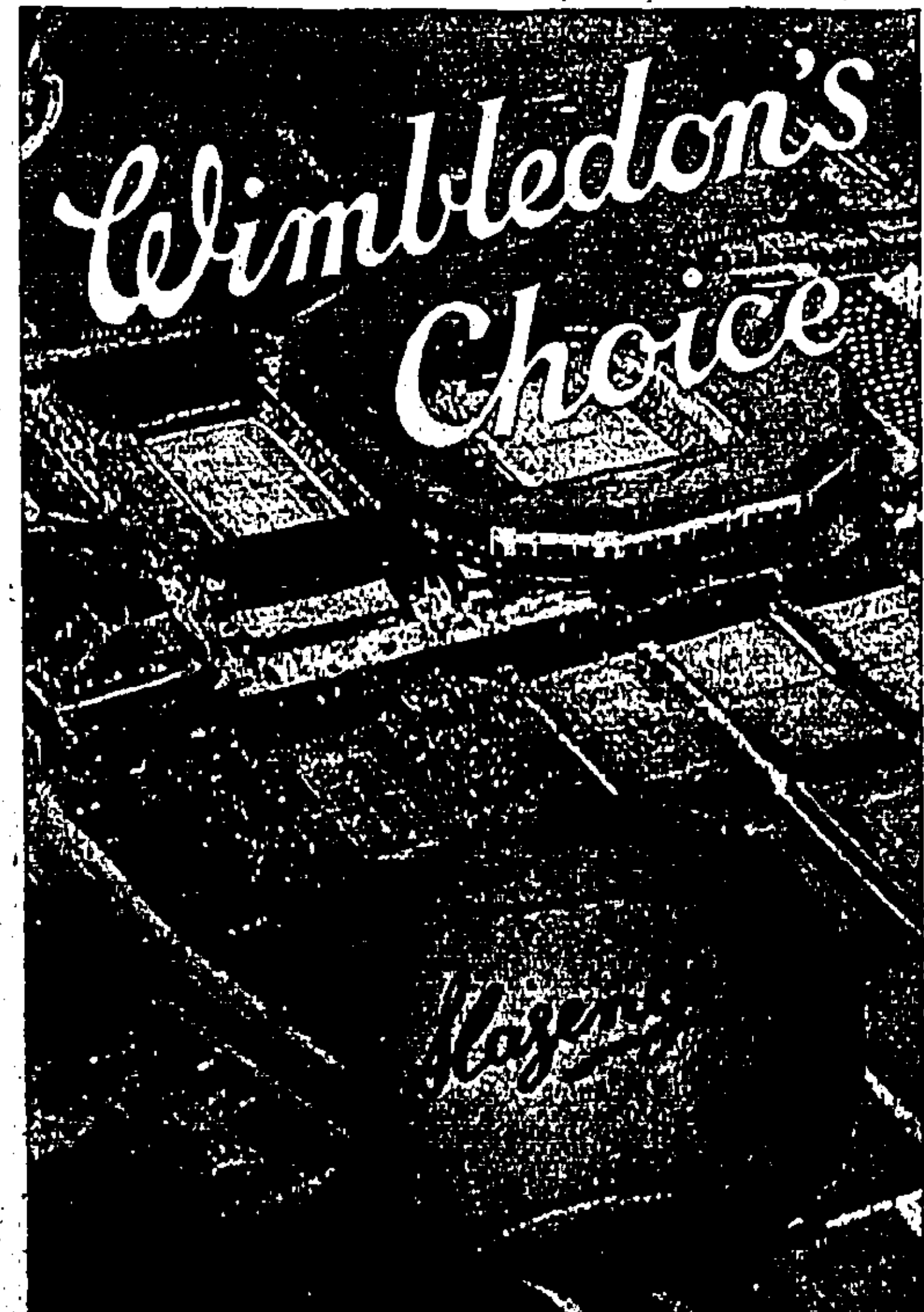
E. C. Fincher and Mrs. W. H. Wilson (K.C.C.) lost to L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll 2-3; Capt. P. S. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan 7-5; Capt. Major and Mrs. Withington, 6-1.

G. Bodiker and Miss Griffiths (K.C.C.) lost to L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll 0-4; Capt. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan 6-3; Capt. Major and Mrs. Withington 7-5.

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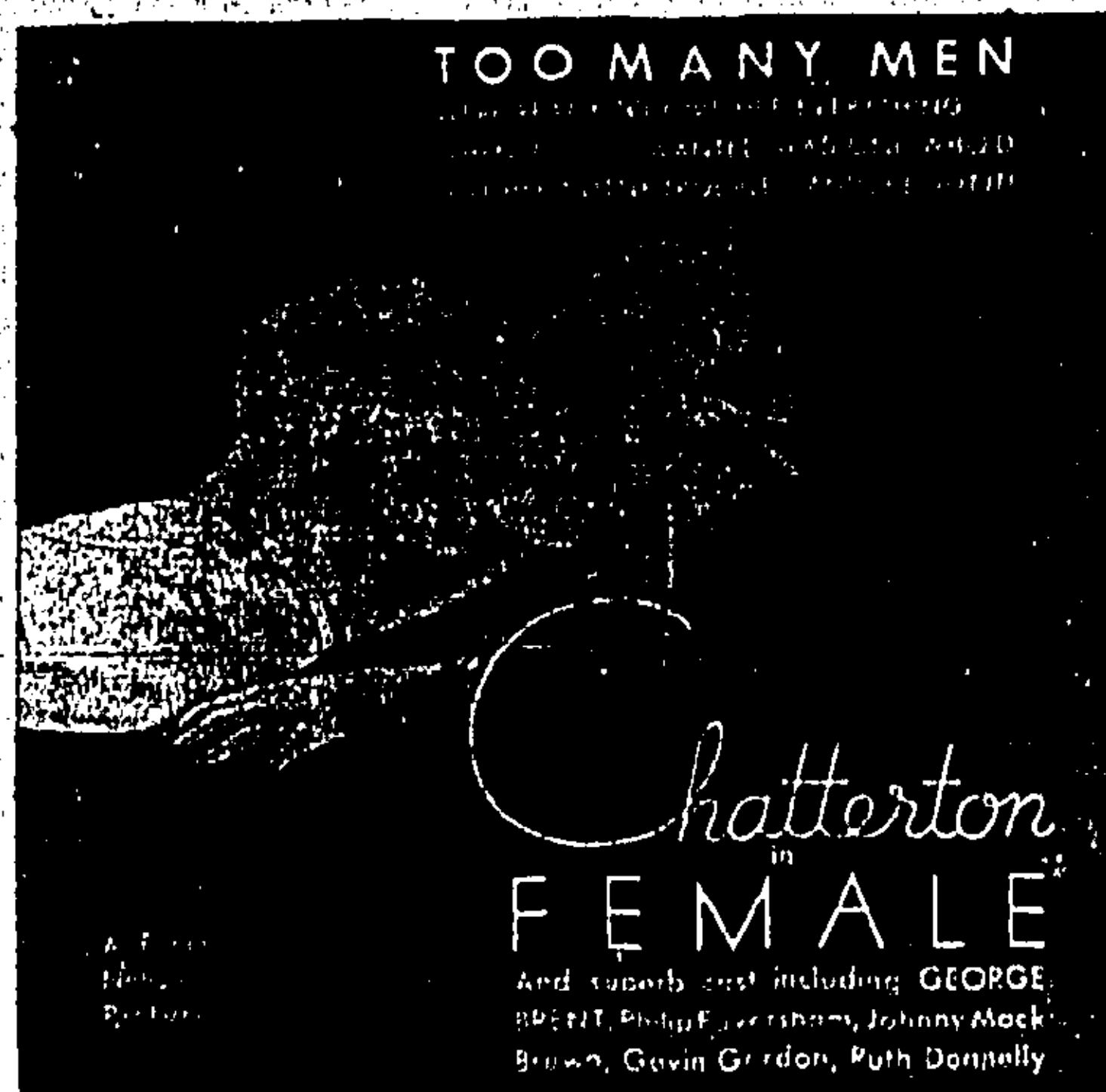
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K.C.C.	4	2	0	2	10 1/2	16 1/2	4
L.R.C.	4	0	1	3	9 1/2	26 1/2	1
C.R.C.	5	1	1	3	17	15	3



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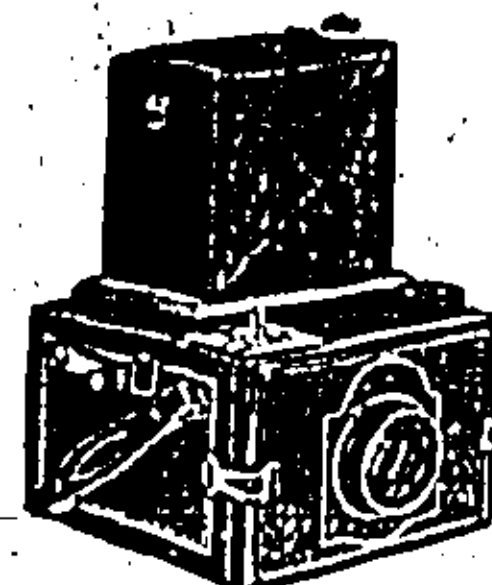
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RUSSIAN MINUS PASSPORT

SEARCHING FOR AN ITALIAN

When Alexis K. Nikifok, a Russian, was charged before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Police Court to-day, with entering the Colony from Canton without a passport, he pleaded that he was hard pressed for money and was looking for an Italian here who owed him \$600.

It was stated that Nikifok had sought permission to enter the Colony through the intermediary of the British Consul-General at Canton, but while the Consul-General's letter was still being considered by the Inspector-General of Police, and before permission was granted, he came down here on Sunday. His plea was that it was impossible for him to have waited, because he had run completely out of funds.

The Magistrate indicated that a sympathetic view might be taken of Nikifok's case if his story was true. While Nikifok was remanded for 24 hours, Detective Sergeant Mottram, in charge of the case, was instructed to look up the Italian mentioned and to make the necessary inquiries.

WATER LEVELS.

FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	June 24	June 25
West River at Shihing	24.7	25.0
North River at Taing-yuen	19.0	17.5
North River at Samshui	16.8	17.5
East River at Sheklung	9.6	9.5

SHANGHAI PILOTAGE

BRITAIN MAKES REPRESENTATIONS

NANKING PROMISE OF REVISION

London, June 25.
Changes proposed by the Nanking Government in pilotage arrangements at Shanghai have led to strong representations by the British Government.

Sir John Simon, the Foreign Minister, replying in the House of Commons to-night, to a number of questions relating to Shanghai pilotage, said that owing to the action of the Chinese Government in drawing up provisional pilotage regulations intended to supersede those codified in 1888, Sir Alexander Cadogan had made representations to the Chinese Government.

Sir Alexander had pointed out that the matter was one which also involved the interest of foreign Powers and that the new provisional regulations were not satisfactory.

Sir John Simon informed the Commons that he understood the British view to be shared by other interested governments.

TO BE REVISED.

In reply to Britain's representations, the Chinese Government had indicated that a revised version of the new regulations would be communicated to the interested governments in due course.

In view of this statement and the fact that the question is still the subject of discussion between Sir Alexander Cadogan and the Chinese Foreign Ministry, he was unable at the present moment to say more. He could, however, assure the House that the British Government was fully alive to the

CABARET DINNER DANCE

REPULSE BAY HOTEL FUNCTION

The Management of Repulse Bay Hotel announces a special cabaret dinner dance on Saturday, the 30th, instant, when Kaili's Hawaiian Troubadours will enliven the evening with Hula dances, songs and instrumental music. A special extension until 1 a.m. has been granted.

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RUBBER PRICES

LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore to-day for raw rubber: Spot 22 1/2, etc. up 1/4; July/Sept. 23 1/2, etc. up 1/4; Oct./Dec. 24 1/2, etc. up 1/4; Jan./March 24 1/2, etc. up 1/4. Market:—Steady.

Lu Hui-li, alias Chan Wai-ma, aged 25 years, was sentenced to a total of six months' imprisonment by Mr. MacLay, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on two charges of obtaining \$145 and \$5.50 from Chan Yin-leung by false pretences. The alleged false pretences were that defendant had told the complainant he was a printer at the Victoria Gaol. He had offered to secure complainant a job in the Gaol as a tailor for \$25, and obtained \$145 for writing a letter of recommendation, and later \$5.50 for securing him a job.

Interests of British shipping and of any British pilots who might be affected by changes in the regulations.—*Reuter.*

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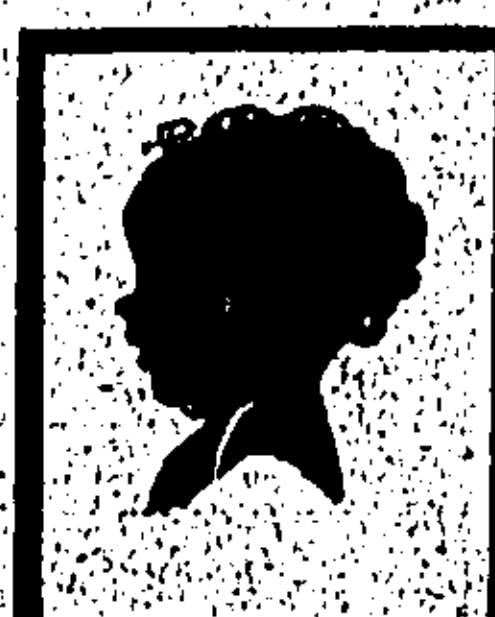
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